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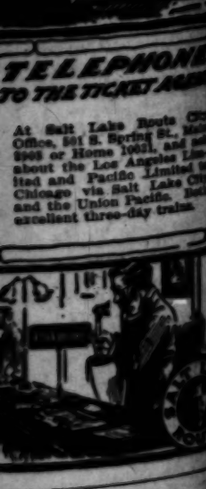

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The Great War.

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French May Employ German Tactics.

Chamber of Deputies Urges to Pay the Invaders in Their Own Coin.

Bombardment of Malancourt is Kept up with Great Intensity.

Gen. Petain's Army Reported in Bad Position, May be Cut Off.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 23.—Liquid fire has been the means by which the Germans gained the portion of trench mentioned in recent official communications, says the Journal des Debats, and the Military Committee of the Chamber of Deputies is inquiring into methods for the protection of the French troops against such fire attacks and the use of a similar means in reprisal.

"One can easily understand," says the newspaper, "the superiority of this terrible arm over the bayonet. Even though it may expose the man who carries it to the danger of death should even a fragment of shell should strike it, on the other hand it gives to the attack the power and cruelty to which our communications are daily witness."

The newspaper adds that France

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RUSSIAN LOSSES IN THE MILLIONS.

Figures Given in Killed, Wounded and Missing for One Year.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Losses in the Russian army, killed, wounded and missing, for one year, January 1 to December 31, 1915 were 2,542,689, according to Boris S. Schumacher, a Jewish newspaper correspondent who arrived here today from Petrograd via Copenhagen, on the steamship United States. Mr. Schumacher exhibited printed lists of names which he claimed were official Russian reports of casualties and which he said he secretly obtained while in Petrograd.

BRITISH MINERS WILL ARBITRATE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—The South Wales coal miners and operators have agreed to the nomination of a conciliator by Walter Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, in connection with the points in dispute between the miners and operators, which threatened to develop into a strike. The miners' grievances are regarding Sunday work and bonuses.

GERMAN SEAPLANE IS BROUGHT DOWN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Advices received from Dover by the Press Association state that a second German seaplane was brought down after the raid made by four German aeroplanes over the Kent coast last Sunday. It is said a British airman who was crossing the channel in a new aeroplane saw the raid in progress, and, joining in the chase of the Germans, succeeded in bringing down one of their machines.

THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

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THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., northwest; velocity, 20 miles. Thermometer: highest, 58 deg.; lowest, 46 deg. Forecast: Freezing temperature with wind drops. Friday fair. For complete weather report see last page of this part.

THE CITY. The Home Telephone Company directors took action to open negotiations for a consolidation with the Sunset company.

C. H. Crossendyke, prominent Elk, died despite the sacrifice of those who gave their blood by transfusion.

Four alleged members of a widely-known arson "ring," including two women, were arrested.

The board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers arrived to inspect the institution at Sawtelle.

A frank storm gave the south rain, wind, snow and thunder; a gale and some damage along the coast.

One suspect was shot in a running fight between two detectives and five Chinese smugglers.

California's freak legislators were scored by the field secretary of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the United States.

PACIFIC SLOPE. The spring rush to Alaska to work on the Alaska road has commenced.

German Consul Bopp of San Francisco must stand trial in the bomb plot case.

Thousands of voters are signing referendum petitions.

NOTE TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the greater part, of the more important news is to be found on the first page. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper and then get all the news of the day.

GENERAL EASTERN. It was announced in Chicago but a few men applying at the recruiting station are fit for service in the army.

A Cincinnati doctor announces he has discovered the germ of epilepsy.

WASHINGTON. Army increase bill passes the House.

The United States will shortly issue a statement of its position on submarine warfare and armament of merchantmen.

It was announced by the Washington Census Bureau that manufactories in Los Angeles have greatly increased.

MEXICO. Douglas is uneasy over movement of Mexican troops across the border.

Lieut. Gorrell, the missing aviator, was found in Mexico yesterday.

Reports in Washington concerning the Mexican situation were somewhat reassuring.

It was stated the speed with which Gen. Pershing's expedition entered Mexico astounded the natives.

Villa holds up and robs a train at Moctezuma.

Defeat of Villa by Mexican regulars.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Continuation of the battle of Verdun.

Russians pressing the Germans at Riga.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

Except on the front near Gommecourt and the Bethune-La Bassee road, where the British gained some advantage in fights against the Germans, no infantry engagements have taken place today along the line in France and Belgium. Heavy fighting, however, continues between the Germans and Russians on the eastern front from the region of Riga southward. Heavy masses of Russians are pressing the Germans from Riga district southward for a distance of seventy miles. While they have gained some advantages, the Russian War Office admits that south of Lake Dreswiaty, the Germans recaptured trenches that the Russians had taken the previous night. The Russians have again pierced the opposing line in the Jacobstadt sector.

According to the German official communication, "not even the smallest advantage against the unshaken German defense" had been obtained anywhere in this great offensive, which the Russians have undertaken in Northwest Russia.

No tidings from Gen. Pershing. Advices from other quarters indicate the defeat of Villa by Mexican regulars and his fight, probably afoot, into mountain fastnesses, as he is reported to have abandoned his horses. This may be the precursor of a dispatch that the bandit will soon be captured. The course of Gen. Herrera remains a puzzle to Gen. Funston.

First Photos of U. S. Troops Entering Mexico.

U.S. Troops entering Mexico.

U.S. Battery on Mexican soil

Crossing the border.

How the artillery passed from American to Mexican soil is disclosed by the above pictures, the first actual photographs of American troops on Mexican soil in quest of Villa. The details of their swift march southward are contained in a report from the front printed on the second page of Part I of this issue of The Times.

Exigency.

CONSUL EXPLAINS CHINESE DECREE.

GAVE WOMEN IN SONORA NO CHANCE FOR LIVING.

Gen. Calles Declares Order Depriving All Present Holders of State Concessions of Rights Guaranteed Them by Such Grants will Shortly be Published.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 23.—Explaining the purpose of the decree issued by Gen. Calles against Chinese, Consul Ives G. Lelevier said today that the Chinese in Sonora lived in a manner inviting disease, in some cases as many as fifteen sleeping in an unventilated room. This, he said, was the cause of the order that no more than four should live in one room.

Chinese have a habit of "visiting permanently," he added, relative to the clause which forbids the celestials to visit one another for more than two days at a time, under pain of heavy penalties. He stated further that the Chinese are forbidden to engage in any occupation which might be classed as domestic service, because they have been doing practically all of the washing, cooking, house cleaning, etc., to the detriment of Mexican women.

"We have many widows in Sonora, whose widowhood was caused by the war. We must protect them by providing work that they can do," said Consul Lelevier. "All of them cannot work in offices or stores and the Chinese have left them so little work of the sort they could perform, they had either to starve or follow immoral lives."

Gen. Calles stated today that the decree depriving all present holders of state concessions of the rights guaranteed them by such grants was in course of preparation and would be published in about ten days.

Battery A of the Sixth Field Artillery engaged in field target practice, today, in the hills about Douglas, using regulation service ammunition. They fired at targets about a mile and a half distant, scoring a high percentage of hits, according to persons who were present.

RAILROAD ORDERS THOUSAND CARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company announced today that it had placed orders for 1000 steel hopper coal cars of 100,000 pounds capacity each. The Standard Steel Car Company was given an order for 500 and the other 500 will be built by the Pressed Steel Car Company. The cars will cost between $1,250,000 and $1,500,000.

HUN LANDSTURM ORDERED TO FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Men of the Hungarian Landsturm born in 1868 and 1869, and also the men belonging to the classes of 1865 to 1897, who hitherto have been employed in making materials of war, now are dismissed from this service and ordered to join the army on April 5, according to a Reuter dispatch from Zurich.

Reassured.

TENSION OVER MEXICO IS SOMEWHAT RELAXED.

Conflicting Unofficial Advices as to Intentions of Herrera Cause State Department to Telegraph for Information from Chihuahua—Radio Communication with Gen. Pershing's Force is Restored.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March. 23.—Tension in administration quarters over the Mexican situation relaxed today in the absence of official confirmation of the report that 2000 Carranza troops at Chihuahua under Luis Herrera had joined Villa. Conflicting unofficial advices from the border, however, caused the State Department to telegraph American consuls at Chihuahua and Durango for immediate reports as to the situation in the Torreon region, where Herrera was last reported. Slow wire communication south of the border may delay the replies.

Secretary Baker's reports on the day's events on the border were before President Wilson when the latter returned tonight from a day's trip to Philadelphia. They were of a reassuring nature, although they contained nothing positive as to the reported revolt.

EVENTS ON BORDER.

The accumulation of denials of the Herrera report during the day, the safe arrival of the army motor trucks with the expeditionary forces, the restoration of radio communication with Gen. Pershing's force, and the satisfactory progress of diplomatic negotiations with the de facto government served to relieve official anxiety.

No reply has yet come from Gen. Carranza to the request that American troops be permitted to use the Mexican Northwestern Railway in their pursuit of Villa. Reports from the border said Gen. Pershing already was making use of a portion of the line. War Department advices did not mention this.

The tension produced by the reported revolt in favor of Villa was manifested in Congress. Both Republican and Democratic leaders, however, exerted efforts to check discussion until definite information was at hand.

Democratic leaders in both House and Senate said privately that Congress was keenly alive to the situation along the Mexican border and beyond where American troops might be hemmed in with revolting garrisons in their rear. There would be no delay, it was stated, in meeting any request for additional troops the President might make.

It is possible this problem was discussed last night during Secretary Baker's conference with President Wilson. The Secretary again declined to say what was the purpose of his visit to the White House.

Secretary Baker said the task of insuring the communicating lines with Gen. Pershing's detachments and also of safeguarding the border against raiders, was Gen. Funston's most serious task. He would not discuss the matter further.

REQUEST FOR AVIATORS.

A new problem was faced today with the receipt of Gen. Funston's request for eight additional aeroplanes and aviators for scouting duty on the border and in Mexico. Departmental officials had this matter under advisement tonight. While there are several other army aeroplanes available, it was considered doubtful if they were serviceable for the work.

Already the cost of the expedition into Mexico and border patrol duty has severely taxed departmental funds. It was regarded as probable tonight that an emergency lump sum appropriation would have to be sought from Congress.

State Department officials said today that the amount of ammunition for Carranza had been greatly overestimated in reports from the border. It was disclosed also that shipments duly consigned to Carranza officials, but going to territory insufficiently guarded against Villa raiders, were being held up temporarily.

Expedition.

PACT WITH CARRANZA HAS NOT YET BEEN MADE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—The attempt to reach an agreement with Carranza definitely limiting the extent of the Mexican expedition has not yet succeeded. A memorandum handed to Mr. Arredondo yesterday, outlining the terms acceptable to the United States, was sent to Carranza, but no reply has been received. Though hopeful that an agreement will be reached, it is probable that Carranza will not accept the terms as dictated by the State Department.

Administration officials said today that it was "highly improbable" that Gen. Pershing had seized the railroad against the will of Carranza's government. If the American forces are using the road it is almost certainly with the consent of the military authorities of that district, it was said.

The War Department faces a shortage of troops that is proving extremely embarrassing. Practically the whole mobile army is now in Mexico or will be ordered. The 20,000 recruits ordered last week, however, are coming in very slowly, and are not expected to affect the immediate situation appreciably.

The administration's military advisers are urging a call on the State militia, particularly cavalry. Secretary Baker said today that he "had no announcement to make on that subject." It is said, however, that he has the question under consideration, and it would not be surprising if a call soon went forth for mounted troops of the States.

Mystery.

GEN. FUNSTON PUZZLED BY HERRERA'S COURSE.

American Confirmation of His Defection is Unofficially Denied.

Another Day Passes Without Specific Information from the Commander in the Field—No Reply Received at San Antonio to Warning Messages to Pershing of the Reported Desertions of Carranzista Troops.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, March 23.—Consul Garcia made public tonight a telegram which he said he had received from Gen. Gavira announcing that the Carranzistas had defeated Villa today at Santa Gertrudis, near Namiquipa. According to the announcement, Villa, after leaving several dead and wounded on the field, abandoned 100 horses and fled to El Oso.

Gen. Gavira of the Juarez garrison received advices this afternoon regarding the battle between Villa and Col. Cano near Namiquipa last Monday. Gen. Gavira said the Villa troops were routed and fled toward Namiquipa and that forces of Gen. Luis Gutierrez went in pursuit to give Villa further battle.

According to a telegram Gen. Gavira says he received, the battle which took place seven kilometers south of Namiquipa, lasted several hours. Villa, according to the telegram, is now in the vicinity of Namiquipa. Forces are advancing upon Villa in command of Col. Cano from Las Cruces, Col. Salas from Babricora, Col. Hernandez from Tepeguanes, Gen. Carza from Santa Clara, and Gen. Cavazos from Temosachic, the telegram added.

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) March 23.—With a message from Gen. Bell before him, confirming his report of yesterday that Gen. Luis Herrera had revolted with 2000 men in Chihuahua and a collection of evidence at hand from unofficial sources denying the alleged revolt, Gen. Funston was as puzzled tonight as to the exact status of affairs in Mexico as he was this morning.

Gen. Bell was the first to inform Gen. Funston that Herrera was reported to have joined Villa in his fight against the United States. Gen. Funston instructed Gen. Bell to investigate the report and inform him of developments. The message late today that he had "confirmed" his report of yesterday was Gen. Bell's reply. He did not report additional facts concerning the new movement and did not tell how the report was confirmed.

To offset Gen. Bell's statement, messages from El Paso quoted Gen. Gavira and Consul Andres Garcia in denial, the Consul at Laredo submitted a denial and Samuel Belden, Consul here for Carranza, made public a message he said he received from Gen. Herrera in Chihuahua dated today. In this message Gen. Herrera denied that he had revolted, adding that on the contrary he was "ready to fight Villa as energetically as possible."

Gen. Funston transmitted to the War Department the message from Gen. Bell and awaited anxiously the result of the investigation the State Department had begun through its consular representatives in Chihuahua, Torreon and Durango.

The day passed without a report from Gen. Pershing, making this the fourth day Gen. Funston has been ignorant of developments south of Casas Grandes. He sent Gen. Pershing instructions today to send more complete information regarding developments, and another message warning him of the reported activities of Gen. Herrera. Receipt of his communications was acknowledged at Casas Grandes, but late today no report had been received.

Recruiting.

ARIZONA NATIONAL GUARD ORDERED ON WAR FOOTING

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 23.—Instructions to recruit the twelve National Guard companies of Arizona to war strength were transmitted to the company commanders today by Adjt.-Gen. Charles W. Harris, who acted on orders from the War Department. The order is to "immediately recruit your companies to war strength."

Recruits under a new form of enlistment are guaranteed discharge at once if not taken into active service, and nightly drills are ordered. Requests for men to guard border towns do not quite equal pleas for arms received at State headquarters from officials of the counties in the trouble zone. At a meeting of Spanish War veterans today it was promised that by tomorrow information would be available as to supplies of arms and ammunition. The veterans have been investigating reports that Mexicans have been buying up all available supplies of arms and cartridges in Phoenix stores.

ORDERS REACH TUCSON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) March 23.—Orders were received this afternoon by Capt. I. E. Huffman, post commander here of the Arizona National Guard, from Adjt.-Gen. Harris that the two local militia companies and the Hospital Corps be recruited to full war strength. One of the companies is composed entirely of native-born Spanish-Americans. No reason for the orders was made public.

Mission.

TURKS ARE AFTER PEACE TO PREVENT UTTER RUIN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILAN, March 23 (dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle.)—Despite the skeptical attitude of the London press toward neutral reports regarding a Turkish peace mission, importance is given here to the following communication issued tonight by the Rome National Press Agency, based, it is alleged, on diplomatic authority:

"Two emissaries of the Ottoman government, officially charged to re-establish relations as a prelude to forthcoming negotiations for peace, recently arrived in Switzerland. It is no longer a matter of mere vague, tentative reports such as were rumored on former occasions. The delegates, one of whom is the former Turkish Ambassador at Rome, Naby Bey, make no secret that the internal conditions of their country were such that, only speedy peace could save it from ruin.

"Moreover, it is not the Turks alone who are seeking through open diplomatic channels the realization of peace as their only hope of salvation, for there are at this moment in Switzerland two representatives of the Bulgarian government intrusted with a similar mission. These two Bulgar delegates further expressed a desire to proceed to Rome to discuss precise proposals on the subject, despite the fact that the Bulgars, together with their allies, are placing obstacles, however, inefficaciously, in the way of our occupation of Albania.

"Since it is not possible that Turkey and Bulgaria could take action unknown to Germany, this latter power is evidently seeking fresh means of bringing about peace."

Mexicans Astounded by Rapid Advance of the American Punitive Expedition.

Celerity.

ARMY ON VILLA'S HEELS BEFORE SPIES KNEW IT.

Forced March of Pershing's Men Almost a New Military Record.

Troop Movements Shrouded in Complete Secrecy Enable Commander to Dispose Soldiers in Most Advantageous Positions to Accomplish Object—But Few Animals Lost Despite Roughness of the Country.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) March 23.—The following dispatch from an Associated Press correspondent at the front in Mexico is the first complete story of the crossing of the border by the punitive expedition sent to avenge the Columbus massacre.

HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES PUNITIVE EXPEDITION NEAR COLONIA DUBLAN (Chihuahua, Mex.) March 22 (by wagon train to Columbus, N. M., March 23.)—Reaching here by a forced march that demonstrated the endurance of the American soldier, and obviously amazed the Mexicans, several thousand United States troops, cavalry, infantry and artillery, were scattered today between this point and the northern boundary of the Guerrero district intent on the task of capturing or killing of Francisco Villa in the shortest possible time and exterminating the bandit band with which he raided Columbus, N. M., and slaughtered nine civilians on March 9. Troop movements and dispositions, however, it was said, were shrouded in the strictest secrecy, by order of the War Department.

ENTRY INTO MEXICO.

The entry into Mexico occurred at 12:07 p.m., March 15. At that moment the American colors with the standard of the Thirteenth Cavalry, 200 men of which beat off Villa's raiders despite the surprise movement of the Mexican brigands, were carried over the boundary by the color guard. Col. Herbert J. Slocum, commanding the Thirteenth, was the first commanding officer to cross. He was followed by Maj. James A. Ryan, acting Chief of Staff to Gen. John J. Pershing, who commands the punitive expedition.

This was column No. 1, consisting of artillery, infantry and cavalry and burdened with heavy wagon trains. It moved rather slowly and camped the first night at Palomas, a filthy village of adobe huts and "go downs" seven miles below the border, south of Columbus.

Column No. 2 entered Mexico from Culberson's ranch, fifty-one miles south of Hachita, N. M. Gen. Pershing, who had accompanied the first column part of the way to Palomas, returned to Columbus the same afternoon, raced to Culbersen's in an automobile, and, taking command of the second or "flying column," drove it more than 110 miles over the desert of Chihuahua in twenty-two hours' actual marching time.

SPIES ON THE ROUTE.

Official records show that spies located the route of the first column, but the men of the second had forged their way fifty miles into the country before a single native was seen, and, to the patent surprise of the Mexicans, reached here Friday night forty-two hours after crossing the border at 3:15 o'clock Thursday morning.

In this column every man was mounted, and the lumbering wagon trains were supplanted by army mules, which made the entire distance under heavy packs with the loss of only three of their number.

Battery B of the Sixth Field Artillery, commanded by Capt. Edgar H. Yule and Lieut. Charles P. George, formed a unit of the flying column. While the cavalry traversed trails through the "Malpais," or bad country of the Sierra Madre Mountains, which rise 6000 to 8000 feet, the battery, incumbered by ambulances and the field wireless equipment, traveled the valley roads, longer by eighteen miles. Nevertheless, it reached camp only an hour and a half behind the cavalry without the loss of a mule or horse and with not a sore back among any of the animals. Officers declared this exploit would stand long as a record of speed and endurance.

CAVALRY IN LEAD.

The Thirteenth Cavalry, because of its accomplishment in driving Villa's greatly superior numbers out of Columbus after a brief engagement, was given first place in the first column. Muster rolls of the Villa command found here showed that he made the raid on Columbus with 583 men. Raving in anger after his defeat, deserters reported that the bandit chieftain killed five of his officers and men as cowards. There were 293 in his command when he retreated through Colonia Dublan. The Thirteenth accounted for the rest.

Maj. Frank Tompkins, who took fifty-nine men of his squadron and drove the bandits fifteen miles into Mexico after they had crossed the border, commanded the advance guard. The rest of the cavalry, under Maj. Elmer Lindsley, followed. Then came the mountain and field guns, next the "dough boys" of the infantry regiments and last the wagon trains, field hospital and sanitary equipment and the field wireless.

TRAINS WERE HEAVY.

The orders were for every man to "travel light." The trains nevertheless were long and heavy. Vast quantities of ammunition for all types of arms accounted for most of the weight. Rations for only five days were carried, consisting of bacon, hardtack and coffee.

The column extended a mile and a half. From Columbus, three miles north of the boundary line, only a vast cloud of dust could be seen, and two hours later, when the troops began making camp, the men were thickly powdered by grayish coatings.

The sense of smell detected Palomas long before its collection of huts of mud and cobblestones were visible.

The odors were those of stockyards, abatoirs and a tannery. Closer there was added to the combination the odors of unwashed humanity and soiled raiment, ragged remnants of which lay strewn about, with the remains of slaughtered cattle that had furnished feasts for Villa and his men during their brief stop at Palomas, and rations for the Carranza troops, who were there both before and after the bandits' brief sojourn in the village.

The American troops camped near a series of lakes formed by the Mimbres River, a stream which like a number of others in the southwest, disappears in its course through Mexico.

COLUMN HALTED.

Col. Slocum halted the column at the border gate south of Columbus until the colors came up. When these had crossed the boundary into Mexico, Maj. Tompkins, a brother of the noted Lieut.-Col. "Tommy" Tompkins of the Seventh Cavalry, spread his advance guard out. In the form of a wide fan, the riders of the guard galloped southward. The temper of the Mexicans was still a matter of speculation. There were officers who would not have been surprised to see the entry of the United States forces opposed at the boundary.

But there were no Mexicans at the border gate, and none was seen on the march to Palomas. Only two bodies of armed men were encountered by either of the columns on the march here. At Ascencion, the Alcade, Ramon H. Gomez, had 100 Carranza soldiers and told Col. Slocum he did not know whether to fight or let the American column pass on peaceably.

After an exchange of official visits, during which he observed at the American camp the assembly of men and guns, he decided to accept the United States Army officers' statements that Carranza had agreed to the entry of the troops unopposed.

The other body of troops was encountered here Saturday, March 18. Maj. Elizaldo Reyes, who said he was proceeding to Casas Grandes from Madera after scouting for Villa, was startled to see American troops in this vicinity. His men referred to them as "yellow jackets." He stopped one of the guides of the column and asked to be taken to the American commander to assure him that his force, consisting of thirty-six men, were not Villa supporters and in turn be assured that his men would not be fired upon.

Maj. Tompkins's advance guards, with riders at intervals of twenty yards, swept the country between the border and Palomas and stirred up nothing but jackrabbits.

Maj. James A. Ryan, of the Thirteenth Cavalry, Acting Chief of Staff to Gen. Pershing, found just two human beings at Palomas, a crippled Mexican, described by the American guides as the most cunning horse thief along the border, and his wife.

Infantry were posted all along the route from the border to Colonia Dublan to guard the line of communications and engineers kept the roads in shape for wagon trains and motor trucks. Col. Slocum's column made Boca Grande from Palomas March 16. From this point Villa started on his Columbus raid. It was near Boca Grande that Villa captured and murdered Arthur Kinney, a round-up boss for the Palomas Land and Cattle Company, and three other Americans just before the raid.

American soldiers found the battered and mutilated body of one of the victims. An officer also picked up in the abandoned Villa encampment an expense notebook of C. R. Watson, leader of the party of eighteen, who were slaughtered by Villa lieutenants at Santa Ysabel January 10.

CAREFUL OF WATER.

Men and officers of these columns were not permitted to drink water that had not been tested. They were forbidden to enter Mexican houses for fear of typhus. The result was that all are healthy and in good condition. The orders issued by the commanding general provided also that no towns should be occupied. For that reason, the temporary base here was established two miles outside of Colonia Dublan and four miles from Nueva Casas Grandes, where the Carranza authorities maintain a small garrison.

American officers said they found Carranza officers, both civil and military, ready to accord hearty co-operation in the task of hunting down Villa. The intelligence department of the American punitive expedition headed by Maj. Ryan received much information from Carranza sources. American colonists near the old town of Casas Grandes, southwest of the army camp, declared the feeling among the Mexicans there was tense, but there has been no evidence of it.

The American troopers brought in the first silver money some of the Mexicans had seen for years and they willing paid double the prices that prevail at the international boundary for food and the strong native tobacco. There was, in fact, so little metal money among either the Mexicans or the small band of American Mormons who have braved the dangers of reported Villa raids, that many were unable to provide change for a silver dollar.

CHINESE WAS LIBERAL.

The one Chinese storekeeper found in Nueva Casas Grandes was asked what he would give for an American $5 bill. He opened his cash drawer and with an expressive motion of the arms and hands, indicated that he was willing to exchange for it the bale of Carranza and Villa paper money it contained.

Marching slowly on account of the wagon trains, the head of the first column did not enter the base camp here until Monday noon, after a march of 157 miles from Columbus. The machine gun troops of the Thirteenth Cavalry, the wagon trains and other units lost twelve mules.

The second or flying column which, under Gen. Pershing's personal command, made the dash from Culberson's Ranch, lost three mules. The transport animals of the latter, however, were more lightly burdened.

Gen. Pershing's cavalry escort crossed the boundary at 3:17 o'clock Thursday morning, March 16. It was a brilliant moonlight night and freezing cold, but the brisk trot kept the men warm.

The sun rising over the mountains gave the men their first view of the country, a dreary desert stretch of sun-scorched mesquite and bunch grass dotting a level valley floored with dull red material eroded from an eminence thrown up by prehistoric volcanic eruptions. At 7:30 o'clock

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Suspicious.

DOUGLAS GROWS UNEASY OVER BORDER SITUATION.

Two Thousand de Facto Mexican Troops are Seen Moving into Agua Prieta, Opposite the American Line, but Gen. Calles Denies this and Says Instead He is Sending Men Away.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 23.—Reports that approximately 2000 de facto Mexican troops had been seen by United States soldier observers marching into Agua Prieta from the southeast today, coupled with apparent verification from sources in the Mexican town usually reliable, served to arouse much apprehension here tonight.

Gen. P. Elias Calles, Military Governor of Sonora, stated, however, that no troops had arrived; that on the other hand 250 of the 500 stationed there had been sent to Cabullona, eighteen miles south, today.

In Douglas civilian circles, the apparent inactivity of the military in patrolling the city was the chief cause of uneasiness. It is currently reported that the American troops are under orders to make no move which would serve to indicate to the de facto forces that the slightest apprehension is felt here.

SMALL GUARD IN CITY.

This would explain the peculiar troop disposition in the city. Only a small provost guard patrols the streets, as in ordinary times. However, the smelters, city water plant and other public utilities are guarded by infantry detachments. Camp Harry J. Jones, in which the American soldiers are quartered, about a mile east of the city, is not intrenched.

Current report, credited by many local people, says that Gen. Calles is assembling a large force at Cabullona. Calles denies this. In a statement today he said that Cabullona is merely a small camp and not a concentration point. He declared that there were no more than 800 men there at present.

Gen. Calles said also that Brig.-Gen. Arnulfo Gomez, his second in command, is now en route from Hermosillo to Moctezuma with 4000 men to reinforce the troops along the Sonora-Chihuahua border placed there to guard against a possible western movement of Villa.

The Military Governor also is quoted as saying that M. M. Dieguez, commander of the de facto forces in their operations against the Yaqui Indians, has started for Queretaro, having been summoned there for a conference by Carranza. Gen. Francisco R. Serrano, who was displaced by Dieguez, again is said to have taken command of the Yaqui campaign.

DOUGLAS UNEASY.

Sixty thousand rounds of ammunition for Gen. Calles arrived here by express today. It probably will not be sent across to Agua Prieta for delivery until tomorrow. The feeling of apprehension in Douglas was made evident late today. A number of telegrams addressed to Senators Henry F. Ashurst and Marcus A. Smith and Congressman Carl Hayden were sent by prominent local men, urging that the War Department officials be interviewed at once and representations be made to them that orders should be issued to the troops stationed here so they could adequately patrol Douglas and afford protection to civilians.

Two-edged.

HERRERA TO BATTLE AMERICANS AND VILLA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) March 23.—Gen. Luis Herrera has revolted from Gen. Carranza and has declared that he would resist with all his power the entry of American troops into Mexico, but was still opposed to Villa, according to reports from sources believed reliable received today.

The news of Herrera's disaffection was considered sufficiently authentic for Gen. Bell to telegraph Gen. Funston at San Antonio that he believed it to be true.

Gen. Bell added to his message, however, the emphatic denial of Herrera's reported revolt issued here today by Mexican Consul Andres Garcia, which was supported by telegrams said to have been received from Gen. Herrera himself and Gen. Gutierrez, Carranza's field chief.

Gen. Herrera has been known as a personal enemy of Villa. His present position is said to be that the de facto government has betrayed Mexican interests in permitting the soldiers of the United States to enter Mexican territory and that this betrayal outweighs whatever offenses Villa has committed.

Consul Garcia made public a message from Gov. Enriquez, which reads:

"Your message referring to the press reports regarding Gen. Luis Herrera received. I have just shaken hands with Gen. Herrera and he is loyal to the government of Mexico. Do not give credit to reports on this matter."

Recruits.

FEW MEN FIT FOR SOLDIERS.

Many Ignorant of Language, Others are too Young.

Majority Fall by Wayside at the Chicago Station.

Country Boys Preferred for Service in the Navy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Physical and moral unfitness, ignorance of the American language, lack of citizenship and minority are causes of rejection of would-be recruits in the United States Army, causes which are barring hundreds of applicants from the service during the present recruiting campaign. Less than one-fourth of the men who apply to recruiting officers in the Chicago district these days and who succeed in getting by the first superficial examination, finally pass the "stripped test" and are accepted as soldiers. From the ranks of the applicants the majority who fall by the wayside and are rejected are foreigners, minors and those physically or morally disqualified.

In Chicago 593 men reached the final "stripped test" and only 109 passed it, 484 being rejected.

CAUSES OF REJECTIONS.

"There are three main causes for these final rejections," said Lieut. Kenney today. "First is that of foreigners, men who are not citizens of the United States or who cannot read, write or speak the English language. From this cause we lose the largest number of prospective recruits.

"Second, minors, those who are under 21 years of age. We cannot accept young men who are not legally of age and we send them home to their parents to get their consent. Statistics of our Civil War, of our government since that war and of the European armies now fighting show conclusively that the best soldiers are between 18 and 21 years old. But we do not need such youths yet and under the law cannot accept them.

"The third reason is physical or moral unfitness. There are a great many ailments of man that do not appear upon the superficial examination, but which are revealed when the final test is made. Among these are eye examinations, blood tests, hernia, and other diseases. To the layman it would be surprising how many men are rejected because we do not consider them morally fit to be soldiers of the United States Army.

"Based on the percentage of physically perfect young men who are finally enlisted in the army, we have found that there should be in the State of Illinois, 204,158 unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 25 years and 282,469 married men capable of bearing arms. These figures are compiled under our present stringent laws of physical examination. On the same basis it is estimated there are in the United States more than 2,000,000 unmarried and more than 5,000,000 married men within these ages who are physically fit under the present requirements. A slight relaxation of the laws would materially increase this number.

"If all of the other thirty-nine recruiting districts in the United States had done as well as the Chicago district in getting new men, how long would it take to get President Wilson's 20,000 additional soldiers? We got 109 in the first week; multiply that by forty and it would mean 4360 or nearly 5000 men a week. Five weeks would practically fill the quota. Instead, the entire nation turned out 555, which means about thirty-six week or nine months to raise 20,000."

SAILORS FLAT-FOOTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 23.—That their experiences in recruiting men for the navy from Louisiana, Texas, Mississippi and Alabama had taught them that sailors could hardly be secured from the big cities because of their flatfootedness was the statement made today by Capt. L. B. Porterfield, who has enlisted 126 men since last December. During that time he has refused to enlist 1000 or more. Most of these were city men who applied since the Mexican crisis occurred, no less than thirty being turned down this week, whereas six men who applied from Jena, La., in the country, were accepted at once. Every one of the city men had flat feet. Peculiar features that have been introduced into the recruiting service lately are the questions: "If you were lost at sea and had on board a quantity of gold and water which would you throw overboard first?" and many replied: "The water." Many of the recent applicants have asked that they be sent immediately to Mexico. "We find," said Capt. Porterfield, "that the city men as a rule have flat feet, but that the men raised in the country have not. We examine every one and find that those raised in the country are the finest specimens and always acceptable since they have not been accustomed to city ways."

Liquid Fire Reprisals

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has every means at her disposal for paying the Germans in their own coin, and therefore should employ them.

THE COMMUNIQUE.

The following official statement was issued by the War Office tonight:

"To the north of the Aisne we directed destructive fires on the German works on the plateau of Vauclero.

"On the Argonne we carried out numerous concentrations of our fire on the enemy organizations, the roads and the railways of the eastern Argonne and on the Malancourt wood.

"To the west of the Meuse the bombardment persisted in the region of Malancourt and against our front of Bethincourt, Le Mort Homme and Cumieres.

"To the east of the Meuse and in the Woevre the artillery action developed a certain intensity. There was no infantry action during the course of the day.

"In the Vosges we bombarded the enemy cantonments in the environs of Muhibach."

BELGIAN COMMUNIQUE.

The Belgian official communication reads:

"On the greater extent of the Belgian front the activity of the artillery on both sides was normal. To the north of Steenstraete, however, the artillery duel was continued with violence. During the course of the day of March 23 we everywhere effectively counter-shelled the enemy batteries."

MAY CUT OFF FRENCH.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ON THE WEST FRONT, March 23 (Special Dispatch to the Cologne Gazette.)—As previously reported from army headquarters the attack on the strong French positions in the forest north of Avocourt was begun from the German positions in Malancourt forest, to the east of the road leading to Avocourt. After a heavy preparatory artillery fire lasting from 5 o'clock in the morning to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, Bavarian and Wurtemburg troops began to attack. By 10 o'clock in the evening they succeeded in capturing without incurring heavy loss the three French positions to the southeast of the forest.

On the following day it became evident that the German success was far more important than was indicated in the German official reports. In all fifty-eight officers and 2914 men were taken prisoners, among the officers being two colonels, one of them the commander of a brigade. This brings the total number of unwounded prisoners taken in the battle of Verdun up to 30,150.

According to reports issued yesterday the French were still in possession of the southwestern corner of Avocourt forest. It was learned last night that the entire forest was in German hands. The German advance to the south of Malancourt makes the position of the French in Malancourt and Bethincourt extremely precarious, as they are liable to be cut off from the adjacent height.

Secrets.

LOSE MUCH MONEY ON ARMOR PLATE.

STEEL MAN SAYS GOVERNMENT PLANT WILL FAIL.

Speaking of War Profits He Declares His Concern has Fared so Well He Can "Scrap" All Machinery and Devote Buildings to Other Purposes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 23.—To support the contention of private manufacturers that a government armor plant cannot be successful, Vice-President Barba of the Midvale Steel Company told the House Naval Committee today that his plant, with all its facilities and technical equipment, had already lost $300,000 on a contract to make armor-piercing shells for the navy.

"And when we make delivery," he said, "we are through for all time with making projectiles for the navy under its present specifications of testing at ten degree angle. Every naval officer we have talked to said he hoped he would not be assigned to armor making for he could not do it."

Mr. Barba testified that since the outbreak of the European war his company had specialized in howitzer ammuintion and small arms. One contract with the British government called, he said, for $60,000,000 in English rifles.

The output of his plant in value, Mr. Barba testified, had increased six times since the war began and the number of men employed had increased three times. The war products, he explained, were being sold at a price which would enable the company to "scrap" the machinery at the end of the war and devote the buildings to other purposes.

CAR SHORTAGE OVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 23.—The car shortage which for ninety days has hampered commerce in the West is virtually over, as far as the Pacific Northwest is concerned, according to announcement made by local railroad officials today.

Retribution.

DODGED THE CENSORS; FIRED OUT OF MEXICO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

COLUMBUS (N. M.) March 23.—E. A. Van Camp of El Paso, a correspondent who started out with the first troops from here last Wednesday, was brought back to Columbus under guard today for having sent out an uncensored press dispatch. He will be liberated here, but will not be allowed to return to the troops in the field.

Van Camp's experience which led to the sending of the dispatch took him into places in Mexico where the American soldiers did not go and the story that he told on reaching camp shed light on the attitude of the Mexicans a short distance across the border.

"I was with the American column as far as Las Palomas," Van Camp said. "I started out from this point a couple of hours after the troops had gone forward last Thursday, having been delayed with my pack horses. After riding about twenty-five miles I discovered that I was nearing Lage Guzman.

"The trail I had been following had been made the day before by Carranza soldiers and led to the Carranza garrison at Guzman. In Guzman, I found about 300 Carranza soldiers. At first they thought I was an American soldier and that others were on the way. Although they were supposed to be Carranzistas, some of them shouted epithets as I went by and generally showed themselves hostile."

Van Camp sent his dispatch by wire from Guzman and proceeded to Ascencion. On joining the American forces he was ordered back under guard for sending the dispatch uncensored.

Vicious.

VILLA HUNTS FOR AMERICANS.

Holds up Train at Moctezuma and Takes Provisions.

Declares He will Kill Every Gringo He Can Find.

Declares Only Mexican He is Fighting is Carranza.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) March 23.—Garcia Flores, a Spanish merchant of the city of Chihuahua, who arrived here tonight, said that Villa has held up a train on which he was traveling at Moctezuma, eighty-five miles northeast from Namiquipa, where the Carranza authorities have insisted the bandit chief was located. Flores is well known in business circles in El Paso.

"We were traveling north from Chihuahua City," he said, "and were nearing Moctezuma Wednesday afternoon when we encountered a large force of men, mounted and on foot, surrounding the station. According to my best estimate there must have been 1500 in all.

HUNTING AMERICANS.

"When we reached the station we were amazed to see Pancho Villa himself enter the train. We had supposed he was many miles to the west. He walked through every carriage declaring that he was searching for Americans and that he would kill any he found. 'I am not fighting Mexicans,' he announced, 'except the first chief and those traitors with him who have turned Mexico over to the Americans.'

"Villa stopped to chat with some friends. He told them that Gen. Herrera had joined him three days since with 2000 men, fully equipped and armed, who had followed him from Chihuahua City. He finally left the train without molesting anyone, but he took some supplies which he said he needed badly."

Mr. Flores said that the wires between Chihuahua and Torreon were cut three days ago and that the people throughout the country he traversed knew very little of what was going on.

Fortune.

LIEUT. GORRELL FOUND UNINJURED.

GASOLINE HAD LEAKED OUT; PLANE WAS INTACT.

Aviator Declares After Flying for Miles He had Lost Sight of His Companions and Decided to Remain Where He was Until He was Discovered.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COLUMBUS (N. M.) March 23.—Lieut. Edgar S. Gorrell of the United States Aero Corps, who has been missing since last Sunday, was found today three miles south of Ascencion by a motor truck train under Lieut. J. L. Parkinson, Twentieth Infantry, according to report made tonight to military headquarters here. Lieut. Gorrell was uninjured, but was out of gasoline and had lost his way.

Lieut. Gorrell had been alone for forty-eight hours in the middle of a sand-swept, uninhabited plateau on the borders of Lake Frederico, formerly used as a watering place for stock, but suffered only slightly from exposure. His plane was intact. With the receipt of today's report all of the eight army aviators who left Sunday to fly to Casas Grandes have been accounted for.

The flyer said that shortly after the start he lost sight of the other planes and missed his way. After flying for miles over the surrounding country in an effort to determine his whereabouts he was forced to alight on the plateau because of a leaking fuel tank. The gasoline oozed away and he was unable to find the leak in the darkness.

NO HUMAN HABITATION.

There was no sign of human habitation and no vegetation on the height except burned clumps of bunch grass. He finally made his way to a recently-abandoned American camping place on the wagon trail about six miles southeast. There he placed a note telling of his whereabouts and condition on a stick, which he drove in the ground near the trail. Being unwilling to leave his plane unprotected, he made his way back to the lake, with the realization that if he attempted to find a village he probably would wander in the hills at the risk of encountering bandits or wild animals. He said he was confident that his note would be found before the three days' rations with which he was supplied gave out. When he was rescued he had been without food for twenty-four hours, and said that he had about determined to attempt to find his way to succor.

FLIES TO CASAS GRANDES.

Aboard the trucks which reached him were several barrels of gasoline, and with the aid of some tools obtained from the truck men, Lieut. Gorrell soldered his tank and rose in a flight which he predicted would end in Casas Grandes in an hour. He left the earth with a wave of his hand to the soldiers on the truck train, as he shouted: "I'll get there this time, boys."

TORPEDO BOATS ORDERED SOUTH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

VALLEJO (Cal.) March 23.—Orders assigning to Bremerton, Wash., the reserve torpedo boat destroyers Hull, Hopkins and Truxton, upon completion of their overhauling at the Mare Island navy yard, were revoked today. Instead of going north the destroyers will be sent to San Diego to relieve the first division, consisting of the destroyers Paul Jones, Preble, Perry, Stewart and Whipple, which have been ordered to Mare Island for repairs as soon as target practice is over.

POWERFUL AIRSHIPS OFFERED THE ARMY

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—In a telegram sent to President Wilson today the Aero Club of America offered for army use in Mexico two high power aeroplanes which the club says could cel in every way the present army flying equipment.

The telegram also said the Aero Club had already listed nineteen censed aviators who are willing to volunteer for service in Mexico.

ARMS FOR ARIZONA REQUESTED BY HUNT

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 23.—Governor George W. P. Hunt telegraphed today to the War Department asking for 3000 carbines and 30,000 rounds of ammunition to arm "home guards" in border settlements and towns which asked protection. Gov. Hunt guaranteed the safe return of the weapons.

The governor said the large number of Villa sympathizers in Arizona might cause serious trouble and at his suggestion all militia commanders were wired today to recruit their forces to full strength.

SMUGGLED ARMS FOR VILLISTAS

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—The Schooner La Providencia, which was run ashore on the coast of Mexico last week, was smuggling arms and ammunition for Francisco Villa, according to word received today by John R. Burns, Consul-General of the de facto government, from the Mexican Ministry of War and Marine.

Alfredo Ricot, supposed owner of the schooner, and several other persons on board were arrested by Constitutionalist authorities, the message stated.

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NEW LABOR BILL SENT TO ...

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.] WASHINGTON, March ... House Labor Committee ... ported favorably the bill o... entire Tavenner preventi... ...ap watches or other tim... in government arsenals, ... or other shops for standa... service of employees. It ... limits the giving of cash ... rewarding up or for anythi... suggestions for improvemen... ...very.

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Factories Here also Boosted, Says Census Bureau.

Four Hundred Million Dollars of Capital Invested.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—According to an announcement of the Census Bureau tonight there has been a tremendous growth in the manufacturing interests of Los Angeles since 1909. The report says:

The population of Los Angeles at the census of 1910 was 319,198, and it is estimated that it was 439,000 in July, 1914.

The statistics represent the establishments located within the corporate limits of the city, and show that the manufacturers have increased since 1909. In the order of their importance, from a percentage standpoint, the increases for the several cities rank as follows:

Pasadena, 98 per cent.; primary horse power, 95 per cent.; salaried employees, 79.1 per cent; capital, 70.8 per cent.; materials, 51.5 per cent; value of products, 50.8 per cent.; value added by manufacture, 50 per cent.; proprietors and firm members, 49.6 per cent.; wages, 45.2 per cent.; number of establishments, 44.3 per cent., and wage earners, 37 per cent.

CAPITAL INVESTED.

The capital invested, as reported in 1914, was $101,681,000, a gain of $41,197,000, or 76.8 per cent., over $60,484,000 in 1909. The average capital per establishment was approximately $53,800 in 1914, and $45,000 in 1909. In this connection it should be noted that, the inquiry contained in the census schedule calls for the total amount of capital, both owned and borrowed, invested in the business, and includes the value of rented property, plant or equipment which was employed in the conduct of manufacturing enterprises. In the final bulletins and reports the rental paid for such property will be shown separately.

The cost of materials used was $55,-
000,000 in 1914, as against $26,913,-
000 in 1909, an increase of $20,028,000, or 74.5 per cent. The average cost of materials per establishment was approximately $31,000 in 1914 and $22,000 in 1909. In addition to the principal materials which enter into the products of the establishment for the census year there are included the cost of fuel, mill supplies and rent of power and heat. The cost of materials, however, does not include unspecified materials and supplies bought for speculation or for use during a subsequent period.

SCOPE OF INQUIRY.

The census inquiry does not include the amounts paid for miscellaneous expenses, such as rent of offices, taxes, insurance, ordinary repairs, advertising, traveling expenses or allowance for depreciation.

The value of products was $103,-
000,000 in 1914 and $68,556,000 in 1909, the increase being $34,822,000, or 50.8 per cent. The average per establishment was approximately $54,-
000 in 1914 and $52,000 in 1909.

The value of products represents the selling value or price at the factory as actually turned out by the establishments during the census year and does not necessarily have any relation to the amount of sales for that year. The values under this head also include amounts received for work done on materials furnished by others.

The value added by manufacturers represents the difference between the cost of materials used and the value of the products manufactured from them.

The value added by manufactures was $64,517,000 in 1914, and $29,673,-
000 in 1909, the increase being $14,-
844,000, or 50 per cent. The value added by manufactures formed 43 per cent. of the total value of products in 1914, and 42.3 per cent. in 1909.

SALARIES AND WAGES.

The salaries and wages amounted to $16,025,000 in 1914 and to $10,-
000,000 in 1909, the increase being $6,025,000, or 57.7 per cent.

The number of salaried employees was 6021 in 1914, as compared with 3,-
523 in 1909, making an increase of 2,498, or 70.1 per cent.

The average number of wage earners was 23,744 in 1914 and 17,327 in 1909, the increase being 6417, or 37 per cent.

NEW LABOR BILL SENT TO HOUSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The House Labor Committee today reported favorably the bill of Representative Tavenner preventing use of stop watches or other timing devices in government arsenals, navy yards and other shops for standardizing the work of employees. It also prohibits the giving of cash bonuses for speeding up or for anything except suggestions for improvement and economy.

A JAUNT THROUGH THE GREAT SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.

On The Times excursion party now forming to leave Los Angeles Tuesday evening, March 28, and to return Friday, March 31.

The party will leave on a special train consisting of four sleeping cars, a composite coach and combination parlor and observation car, over the Santa Fe Railroad. The first stop of the party will be at Bakersfield, where they will be accorded a reception by representative citizens. They will thereafter be taken to the chief points of interest in the city and the surrounding district.

After "seeing" Bakersfield the following towns will be visited in order: Corcoran, Hanford, Laton, Fresno, Reedley, North Dinuba, Cutler, Redbank, Exeter, Lindsay, Porterville, Visalia and Tulare. At different points automobile rides will be furnished and suitable entertainment provided.

The regular round-trip railroad fare without any special privileges is $16.50. By purchasing a Times coupon ticket one has the advantage of traveling on a special train with sleeping berth at night, receptions and automobile rides at stopping points and all meals while on the trip for $15 only.

The Times excursions are unusually interesting, educational and enjoyable. Over 1000 persons took advantage of The Times tours in the last twelve months. Anyone wishing to join the excursion now should make reservations promptly, as the party will necessarily be limited in number. For further information concerning the San Joaquin Valley excursion call or address The Times Excursion Department, First and Broadway. Telephones, Main 8200, Home 10391.

FIRES IN FORESTS FEWER THAN EVER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Fires on national forest land last year, says a report issued today by the Forestry Service, were confined to less than 300,000 acres. Losses were put at $250,000, which is far below the average.

Seventy-two per cent. of the fire loss was in Oregon. Virtually all of it was in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. The loss per fire is estimated at $60.41, or $14.03 below the five year average. The cost of fighting the fires was more than $20 for each fire.

Lightning caused 28 per cent. of the fires, campers 18; brush burning 11; incendiary, 11; locomotives, 9; lumbering operations 2; unknown 20.

AMERICA'S ILLS TOLD BY WORKS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Senator Works, Republican, made an anti-preparedness speech in the Senate today, but endorsed the administration's action in Mexico.

Big business, military organizations and politicians, he said, were responsible for a war scare in the United States.

"What this country needs today," he said, "is not protection from foreign nations, but defense against the aggressive influences of the power of money in the hands of a selfish and grasping few of its own citizens."

Senator Works protested against the trade in munitions.

WRECKED STEAMERS TO BE KEPT AGLOW.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Perfection of an emergency lighting system for steamships was announced today by the United States Bureau of Navigation. The invention is the work of R. Y. Cadmus, radio inspector at Baltimore. It is designed to light vessels so that no accident can leave a ship in darkness when passengers are to be removed.

The system is operated by the auxiliary power for the wireless apparatus. The general lighting plant on a sinking ship is submerged soon after the craft begins to go down, and many passengers have lost their lives because they were unable to find their way to the decks quickly enough. Lifeboats often do not serve their purposes when lowered in the darkness. The new system is so arranged that, although the lower decks may be submerged, the top decks are still lighted and remain lighted until the ship disappears.

LAW TO REGULATE EXCURSION WHISKY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Sale of liquor to minors on the navigable waters over which the United States has no jurisdiction would be prohibited and penalized by the Sabbath bill, reported favorably today by the House Committee on Alcoholic Liquor Traffic. The measure is aimed particularly at alleged abuses on excursion steamers.

HOMESTEAD LAND IS THROWN OPEN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Interior Department today classed as non-irrigible and open to settlement 750,000 acres of land in the former Pine Ridge Indian reservation of South Dakota. Much of the land already has been entered by homesteaders. The remainder will be opened May 12.

FIFTY THOUSAND BRITISH WIDOWS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
LONDON, March 23.—The number of widows of British soldiers who have thus far been reported to the Army Council, is 41,500, according to William Hayes Fisher, parliamentary secretary of the local government board, in a speech to the House of Commons committee on the war pensions bill today. There are about 8000 widows of sailors, Mr. Fisher added.

COL. REBER INJURED.

Chief Aviation Officer Falls Three Stories at His Home.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Lieut. Col. Samuel Reber, chief of the army aviation service, fell three stories in his home here today and was badly injured. He was removed to a hospital.

Reports to the War Department after Col. Reber had been examined at the hospital were that his injuries were not serious.

Col. Reber fell over the bannister rail of a stairway in his home and plunged down the areaway to the floors below. He is a son-in-law of Lieut. Gen. Miles, retired, and recently has been appearing before a board investigating charges of inefficient administration of the aviation service. Congressional inquiry into the service also has been proposed and now is pending.

Col. Reber had been on the top floor of the house with his little son, who was quarantined there with measles and on his way down slipped or was seized with vertigo.

Sixty-fourth Congress.

HAY ARMY BILL PASSES HOUSE.

Provides for Increase to Hundred and Forty Thousand.

Measure has the Indorsement of the Administration.

Quick Action in the Senate Promised by Leaders.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The Hay army increase bill, providing for a regular army peace strength of 140,000 fighting men, instead of the present 100,000, passed the House late today by a vote of 402 to 2. It goes to the Senate for immediate consideration virtually as drafted by the House committee.

The negative votes were cast by Representatives Britten, Republican, of Illinois, and London, Socialist, of New York.

All provision for fixation of nitrogen was stricken out, 224 to 180, confirming the action previously taken in committee of the whole.

Mr. Britten opposed the bill because he furthered a still further increase in the army, and Mr. London because he favored no increase.

FIRST OF PROGRAMME.

The bill is the first of the great national preparedness measures urged by President Wilson to pass either house, although various related measures have been approved. It was adopted only after Representative Kahn, ranking Republican member of the Military Committee, again had met defeat, this time 213 to 191, in his effort to increase the authorized strength of the regulars to 220,000.

During the debate, Chairman Hay of the committee which drew the bill, referred to it as "the President's own bill." It was explained at the White House, however, that while the President approved the ground plan of the measure, he was not committed to its details. The conference on the Senate and House plans, to come after the Senate acts, is expected by administration officials to produce a bill which will have the President's full support.

SENATE TO ACT QUICKLY.

The measure went to the Senate tonight and the way has been cleared for consideration of it to begin there next Monday. Besides providing for 140,000 enlisted men as the peace strength of the standing army, exclusive of officers, hospital and quartermaster corps and unassigned recruits, the bill, as passed by the House, provides for the building up of a force of 425,000 Federalized National Guardsmen within five years. It provides for an officers' reserve corps of 50,000, for a complete industrial reserve and for new recruiting systems for both the regular army and the National Guard. It also contains an authorization for summer training camps from which a third force of Federal volunteers is expected to grow, and provides that National Guardsmen who will receive the benefits of the militia pay feature of the bill shall be subject to immediate draft into the Federal service in war time.

A COMPROMISE.

During the process of amendment in the House the bill was brought appreciably closer to the measure prepared by the Senate committee in several respects. Important among those was the insertion of the Senate bill's provisions as to the regular army enlistments, which are expected rapidly to produce the desired reservists. On this section, Chairman Hay of the Military Committee, the bill's sponsor, was defeated. The only other important amendment, carried by a vote of 224 to 180, despite his opposition, was that striking out the entire section which proposed to have the government embark into a nitrogen manufacture project, which aroused opposition on the ground that it involved immense expenditures in conjunction with private enterprise.

TARIFF COMMISSION BILL AGREED UPON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—House Ways and Means Committee Democrats in conference today agreed to the provisions of the administration tariff commission bill, and it will be introduced soon as a separate measure by Representative Rainey of Illinois.

Majority Leader Kitchin and Democrats who have not favored the commission idea announced they would not speak against it.

Representative Kitchin was authorized to confer with President Wilson regarding the dyestuffs situation. The present plan is to increase the protective tariff to aid in building up the dyestuffs industry in the United States to meet the shortage caused by the European situation and to fix a certain definite number of years after which the present tariff on dyestuffs would be restored.

PRESIDENT WILSON BACK IN WASHINGTON.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—President Wilson was back in Washington tonight after a brief visit to Philadelphia to have his eyes examined. He left at 8 o'clock this morning and returned at 4:45 this afternoon. On the return trip he did some work with his stenographer.

TO HELP BANKS ENLARGE SCOPE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—A bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act so as to authorize any national bank with a capital and surplus of $1,000,000 to purchase stock in a corporation organized to do a banking business in a foreign country was ordered favorably reported to the House today by the Banking and Currency Committee.

BANK LAW RECOMMENDED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Senator Kern's amendment to the bank law to permit directors of banks in the Federal Reserve system to be directors in other banks where such service does not violate the provisions of the law against interlocking directorates was recommended for passage to the Senate today by the Banking Committee.

On Villa's Heels.

(Continued from Second Page.)

the flying column reached Carrizo. The negro cavalrymen and soldiers of the artillery, hospital units and field radio outfits that had preceded the escort were encamped on the sides of a granite butte fronting the canyon in which Geronimo, the famous Apache warrior, made his final stand and surrendered to American troops more than thirty years ago. These facts recalled to many officers, some of the older of whom participated in the Apache campaign, that the present expedition into Mexico had set no precedent, and that bandit hunting in a foreign country of independent sovereignty was not a new thing for the United States Army.

Here on the hillside was observed for the first time the other units of the flying column, the artillery, the negro cavalry and other organizations. Some of them previously had marched from Fort Huachuca, Ariz., and other distant points, and such was the secrecy thrown about their movements that even the officers of lesser rank did not know of their coming.

In fact, the officers of the organizations themselves moved more or less in the dark. Their orders directed them to proceed to certain points where other orders would be found. They proceed thus by stages, not knowing where the next would take them, and the appearance of Gen. Pershing, first at Hachita and then at Culberson's, plainly surprised the soldiers and some of the officers.

At Carrizo the first meal in Mexico was eaten. It consisted of army bacon, hardtack and unsweetened coffee. Officers and men fared alike.

Gen. Pershing allowed the command to rest until noon. The order then was given to reach the big Ojitas ranch, formerly the property of a brother of Admiral Lord Charles Beresford of Great Britain, at nightfall.

Ojitos is sixty miles from the border. At 7 o'clock that night camp was being made by the American troops beside irrigation ditches through which flowed the first running water they had seen in Mexico. Here also were seen the first Mexicans, other than two who were observed a few miles north of Ojitos, silhouetted against the sky on a mountain top. These two were at first believed to be spies, but scouts reported them to be valley ranchers.

The Ojitas Mexicans reaped a golden harvest from the hungry soldiers.

Frijoles, tortillas and chili sauce were in great demand and in contrast to the Casas Grandes Mexicans, who doubled and trebled prices, their prices were "what you like to give." The women of the households cooked half the night, their daughters delivered the food, and the husbands and fathers gathered the money.

At Ojitos, the intelligence department of the flying column received its first definite word concerning Villa. The Mexicans there reported that he had passed the ranch Saturday, March 11, two days after the Columbus raid, with an escort of only ten men. They also stated that reports had been received at the ranch that Villa had killed five Mexicans at Corralitos, an American ranch to the south, because they were working for the hated "gringoes."

Although the march of sixty miles had retired some tender feet to the ambulances and made partial wrecks of the softer men among the officers and soldiers, the column again was in the saddle shortly after daylight.

The line of march took the trails through the mountains from Ojitos on, and those who forgot to fill canteens suffered, for the day was torrid, the dust thick and the road hard. Going up and down hill, it crowned precipices and skirted ravines and declivities.

The next water was found at Casas de Janos, a ranch about fifteen miles south of Ojitos, where a running stream, fringed by groves of cottonwoods, some of the few trees seen along the line of march, was found. Here Gen. Pershing allowed a five-minute rest. Then the drive was resumed.

MARCHING ORDER.

"Trot ten miles, walk ten," was the marching order. And a cavalry trot to anyone unaccustomed to the jarring and jolting is anything but easy.

Gen. Pershing, tall, slender, ascetic and grown much grayer since the fire at the Presidio of San Francisco, which bereaved him of wife and three daughters, already had become known to the men as "the old man," and throughout the march comments ran through the ranks on his tendency to speed up to the utmost limit.

"The old man must expect to get Villa tonight," said one tired recruit.

"No," replied an equally saddle-weary comrade, "he is on the way to Mexico City and we will get there tomorrow."

Every soldier had something to say about Villa, and every one pronounced the name, not "Vee-ya," but as it is spelled in English. Many expressed the hope that the bandit leader would soon have the misfortune to get in front of his rifle or army automatic pistol.

No one doubted the object of the expedition would be accomplished promptly.

"If dat Villa gits anywhere near me, good night," was the ambiguous remark of a negro cavalryman, one who fought at San Juan in Cuba and wears service badges of several campaigns.

"Good night for you or him?" cut in a white soldier.

"Good night for him," was the indignant answer. "No man named Villa will ever put my light out."

A sergeant expressed similar sentiments, and added that if chance gave him the honor of bagging the bandit no one of lesser rank that a colonel could speak to him. "And even the colonel would have to say 'Sir.'"

The object of the gruelling march of Friday was to reach Colonia Dublan by night, and it was done. The last ten miles was almost torture.

Hot winds swirled the clouds of dust kicked up by the horses into the eyes and mouths of the men.

Tongues were swollen. Eyes, mouths and nostrils were merely blackened orifices, but there was no complaint.

"God, I wish I had a drink; my mouth is full of mud," was the nearest to a complaint that was heard.

Twenty miles northwest of here, where the table lands grow narrow, guards were thrown out on the flanks and two troops of cavalry were sent in pursuit of some horsemen reported to Gen. Pershing as having been seen in a near-by canyon. The horsemen turned out to be riderless range horses.

The hardest part of the march was through the pass just west of here known as Puerto San Vecente.

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UNITED STATES DECLARATION.

Will Define its Position on Submarine Warfare.

Arming of Merchantmen also to be Discussed.

May be Foundation for New International Law.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The United States soon will make for the information of the nations of the world a complete statement of its position in regard to the conduct of submarine warfare and the arming of merchant ships for defensive purposes. It has not been determined just what form the announcement will take, but it is regarded as not unlikely that a circular memorandum may be addressed to the powers.

Whatever the form of the declaration, prepared after careful consideration of all the claims made by both sets of European belligerents, it will serve to guide the course of this government in future negotiations. The United States will stand unalterably upon the principles already laid down.

NEW INTERNATIONAL LAW.

Coming from the most powerful of the neutral nations, at a time when all the other great world powers are at war, the pronouncement may furnish the groundwork for a new international law to be developed after the war, which will provide for the use of submarines in naval warfare. The law now does not take into consideration the activities of submarines or the possibilities of their use.

It is considered improbable that the announcement will be made before the political situation in Germany, resulting from the retirement of Admiral von Tirpitz, has been clarified. It is not believed that the administration would be willing to issue a statement defining its position at a time when such an action might be used in a political way by factions in a nation with which it is negotiating.

That a definition of defensive armament will occupy a prominent position in the declaration, whatever its form, is virtually certain.

AS TO MERCHANT SHIPS.

Limitations of defensive armament may be described, and these will govern merchant ships which enter the territorial waters of the United States. There have been various indications in official quarters that the United States might decide to reduce the present limit, which provides that merchant ships may carry guns at the stern of not more than six inches in caliber and still be defensively armed.

Instructions given to the commanders of armed merchantmen also probably will be considered in the pronouncement. Secretary Lansing has given careful study to the appendices to the German memorandum regarding armed ships, which contain an alleged copy of the instructions given by the British government to the commanders of defensively armed merchant ships. The British version of these instructions also are understood to have been considered.

SAFETY OF PASSENGERS.

The safety of passengers and crews of steamships stopped by submarines will be touched upon. The United States will insist upon proper precautionary measures being taken, and may define what those measures should be.

The right of a merchant ship to fire at a submarine which warns it will form another section. The United States has contended that a merchantman has a right to defend itself, but the moment defense or flight starts the vessel loses all that immunity from attack to which she was entitled.

BARON SCARSDALE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
LONDON, March 23.—Baron Scarsdale (Rev. Alfred Curzon) father of Earl Curzon, of Kedlestone, died today after an illness of several months. He was 84 years old.

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COMMITTEE SCORES FRANKING ABUSE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Abuse of the Congressional franking privilege is denounced in a report of the House Printing Committee which has included a provision in the pending revision of the printing laws designed to stop the practice.

PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM BLESSINGS FLOW.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—The House Education Committee today voted unanimously to take no action on pending bills to reopen the north pole controversy. Dr. Frederick A. Cook recently asked the committee to investigate his claims.

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Andrew Jackson

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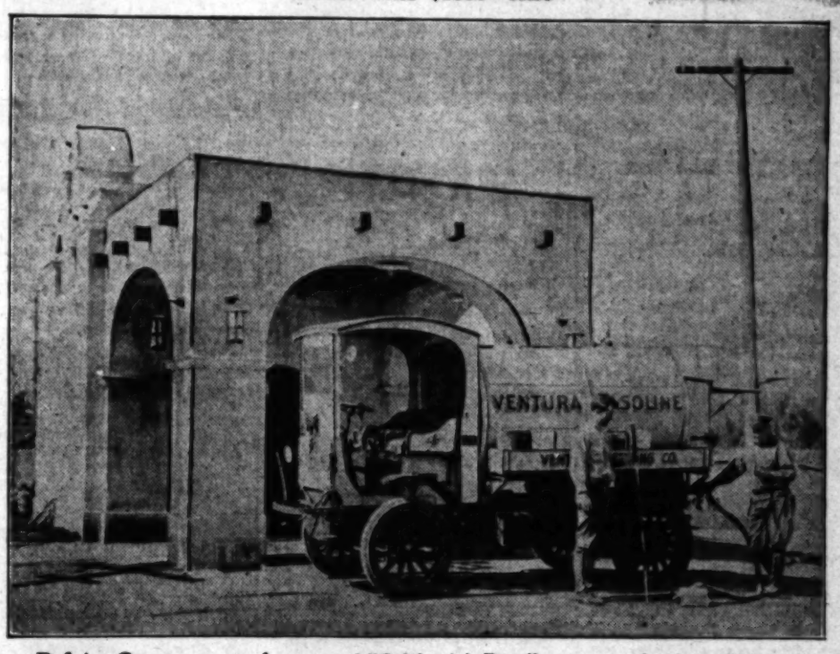

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Widow of Victim also Dies Very Mysteriously.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—In a stupor from self-administered drugs, Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, a dentist and well known as a tennis player, was in the custody of detectives tonight and will be charged with the murder here on March 12 of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a millionaire drug manufacturer of Grand Rapids, Mich., as soon as he can be taken into court. With the arrest of Dr. Waite, the District Attorney's office believes it has uncovered what will prove one of the most remarkable cases in many years.

Mr. Peck, who is reputed to have left an estate valued at about $1,500,000, and his wife, died within six weeks while visiting their daughter and her husband at their Riverside drive apartments here. By the will of Mr. Peck, his estate was equally divided between Mrs. Waite and Percy Peck of Grand Rapids, his son. Mrs. Waite now is seriously ill at Grand Rapids. Dist.-Atty. Swann said today he had learned she had been instructed by Waite to make a will in his favor.

When detectives went to the Waite apartment today, they found the young dentist in bed, apparently in great pain. Dr. A. A. Moore, the physician who attended Peck while he was here, declared Waite was suffering from overdoses of narcotics. Considerable quantities of three different drugs were found in the dentist's clothing, and he said he had taken some of each kind, beginning yesterday morning. Asked hom much he had taken he replied "plenty."

Dist.-Atty. Swann went to the house with a stenographer to take a statement from the dentist, but Waite was in a stupor. Dr. Moore said his patient probably would be able to go to court tomorrow. In the meantime, he will be closely guarded.

FINDS POISON IN BODY.

The arrest of Dr. Waite was ordered today after an investigation by the District Attorney, based upon the results of an autopsy on Peck's body, which revealed strong symptoms of poisoning. The case was placed in the hands of the grand jury today after Dora Heiler, a negro maid at Dr. Waite's home, and Dr. Jacob B. Cornell, a wealthy relative of the Pecks, had told stories to the District Attorney which seemed to him to warrant beginning proceedings against the dentist. The grand jury investigation will continues several days. Meanwhile Waite will be taken to the Tombs and be held without bail, charged with murder in the first degree, the District Attorney said tonight.

Both Dr. Cornell and Dora Heiler were before the grand jury today. The jury will be given copies of the death certificates of both Mr. Peck and his wife, as filed with the health department.

The maid, whom the State regarded as one of the most important witnesses, told the District Attorney today that Dr. Waite came into the kitchen where she was preparing dinner and poured something out of a bottle that he told her was medicine into soup which afterwards was served Peck at the dentist's home. This occurred, she said, about two days before the druggist's death.

MEDICINE IN TEA.

She noticed that Peck ate only a little of the soup and expressed a desire for a cup of tea. Dr. Waite went with her to the kitchen, she asserted, saying: "Father didn't like the soup. I'll put some more medicine in the tea." Peck drank the tea, she said.

Dr. Cornell said he visited Peck Saturday afternoon, March 11, and talked with him for about an hour. He seemed at that time to be in good health, the physician declared. While he was there, Dr. Cornell said, he saw Dr. Waite go into another room to which Peck had retired with a bottle containing what Dr. Waite told him was medicine. In a few minutes, he said, he heard Peck gagging. The next morning he was called to the telephone by Mrs. Waite and told that her father was dead.

When Dr. Waite was questioned at the District Attorney's office yesterday afternoon he admitted, according to Mr. Swann, that he had been living with another woman under the name of Dr. A. W. Walters, as well as with his wife. This woman is being sought by the authorities to be a witness before the grand jury.

POISON BOOKS FOUND.

Waite told the District Attorney that he had been practicing dentistry here. This statement, Mr. Swann declared, he had found to be untrue.

Detectives found in Dr. Waite's apartment seven or eight books, especially relating to poisons and their effects. In one volume there was a book mark between pages which described the use of the poison revealed by the autopsy on Peck's body.

The person who sent a telegram to Percy Peck at Grand Rapids on March 13, reading, "Suspicions aroused; demand autopsy; examine body," and signed "K. Adams," thereby preventing the cremation of Peck's body, was the "Good Samaritan" who prevented the complete covering of the alleged murder, in the opinion of Mr. Swann. The name is believed to have been fictitious, but it is thought the person who sent it was a man.

Upon receipt of the message, Percy Peck halted arrangements for the funeral, and two autopsies were held, disclosing poison not only in the stomach, but also in the brain.

Mrs. Waite had been receiving an allowance from her parents and it was also understood that Dr. Waite had some interests in South America. Miss Catherine Peck, a sister of the dead millionaire, gave Dr. Waite $40,000 recently to invest for her, she asserted, and never received any securities. The dentist told Mr. Swann that he had invested part of the money in a building loan and the remainder in bonds.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) March 23.—The discovery of a germ which he asserted caused epilepsy was announced today by Dr. Charles A. L. Reed, of Cincinnati in an address before the semiannual meeting of the Medical Society of the Missouri Valley. The germ was the bacillus epileptius and the speaker asserted that like the germ of lockjaw it probably exists in the soil and enters the body through the stomach and intestines, where it continues to live. Dr. Reed contended that clogging of the alimentary canal, always present in epileptic cases, forced the germs from the intestines into the blood, where it was also seen perpetuating.

In his address Dr. Reed said that there was abundant evidence tending to show that the disease often has been communicated from one person to another.

"This discovery of the real cause and nature of epilepsy," said Dr Reed, "points not only to cure but to prevention. While it brings a brighter day to the heretofore hopeless epileptic, it ought shortly to relieve the state of much of a heavy and rapidly growing burden."

SILK WORKERS REJECT SETTLEMENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PATERSON (N. J.) March 23.—Paterson's 25,000 silk operatives, it was announced today, have unanimously rejected the silk manufacturers' compromise offer granting a nine and one-half hour day beginning May 1, and a nine-hour day commencing November 1, and will give the manufacturers until April 3 to comply with the original demand for a nine-hour work day.

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STATE UNIVERSITY HAS A BIRTHDAY.

SCHOOL AT BERKELEY IS NOW FORTY-EIGHT YEARS OLD.

Dr. Vincent, President of the University of Minnesota, Delivers the Principal Address—Corner-stone of the Benjamin Ide Wheeler Hall is Laid.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, March 23.—The University of California's forty-eighth birthday was celebrated on the campus today by a formal charter day programme in which faculty, alumni and undergraduates participated. Dr. George Edgar Vincent, president of the University of Minnesota, delivered the charter day address in the Greek theater.

Later in the day was laid the cornerstone of Benjamin Ide Wheeler Hall, a white granite class-room building, costing $730,000, the first of the new buildings to be built from the proceeds of the $1,800,000 bond issue voted for building purposes.

President Vincent in his address made an appeal for a "larger sense of the state" in America. He said: "There is no uniform 'sense of the state in American minds. There are and have been many attitudes toward the common life, but the meaning of nationality, impressed upon us now in the new world situation, and future responsibilities and tests are forcing on us a new 'sense of the state.'

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"No education can be liberal which does not arouse a truer patriotism, a 'sense of the state,' and enduring moral earnestness and fidelity to an ideal national purpose.

"We face new times. We shall wield an influence for world welfare only if we are ready to assume our international responsibilities."

WOMEN WOODMEN IN COURT.

Ask Injunction to Restrain Parent Order from Interference.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OMAHA (Neb.) March 23.—Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, Supreme Guardian of the Supreme Forest of the Woodmen Circle, women's auxiliary of the Woodmen of the World, filed application in the District Court here late today for an order to restrain the National Executive Council of the Woodmen of the World from holding in effect a resolution recently passed which, the applicant asserts, deprives her of authority to appoint organizers, deputies, lecturers, adjusters and other officers and committees, or draw checks against the treasury of the organization to pay for the services of such officers or committees.

The suit, it is said, will affect several hundred thousand women throughout the country.

Mrs. Manchester held the office of Supreme Guardian for eighteen years and was elected at St. Paul last year for another term of four years.

TOBACCO CASES BEGUN.

Government Brings Forfeiture Proceedings Against Dealers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—The first of a series of forfeiture proceedings resulting from discovery of wholesale tobacco frauds, by which the government is said to have lost millions of dollars throughout the country during the past fifteen years, was begun here today. The action is directed against the Italian Toscano Company, in whose factory government agents seized cigars and leaf tobacco worth $9000.

It is charged that the company, between April 1, 1914, and March 16, 1916, caused false entries to be made in its books "for the purpose of defrauding the United States of a portion of its revenues derived from the manufacture and sale of cigars." The government claims that in addition to forfeiting its stock of cigars and tobacco, the concern also may be held for its factory and the land on which the latter stands. Many of the cigars seized by the government, it was said, were unstamped.

TO SELL APPAM'S CARGO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NORFOLK (Va.) March 23.—Immediate sale of the cargo of the British liner Appam, a German prize here, because of depreciation, was recommended in a report to Federal Judge Waddill today by surveyors appointed by the court. The cargo consists principally of cocoa, oil, butter and maize.

FRENCH MINISTER DEFENDS "CREOLES."

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 23. — Gen. Pierre Auguste Roques, the new Minister of War, made his first speech in that capacity in the Chamber of Deputies today. He spoke in connection with the medical treatment of French colonial troops from Guadaloupe and the Antilles.

The new Minister also came to the defense of France's "creole battalions" against the charge made by a previous speaker that the colonials were trying to evade military service. He had served with the creole soldiers and had great affection for them, he said, with a great deal of warmth. Whatever their rank, they were respected by the entire army and he would not allow them to be disparaged. If any partiality was shown against them, the Minister said, he would make a severe example of the persons responsible for it.

The Minister's speech was loudly applauded in all parts of the chamber.

RAILROAD SOLD FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Had no Equipment, no Funds, but Otherwise it was Perfectly Good.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The railroad commission today authorized the sale of the capital stock of the Laton & Western Railroad, a twenty-mile line in Fresno county, to the California, Arizona and Santa Fe Railway Company for the sum of $1. The purchasing company is a subsidiary of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, with which the Laton road connects. The Laton road has no equipment and no funds. The Atchison company intends to establish a regular passenger and freight service on the line.

ALLOWS CONVICT TO FARM.

Oregon Governor Aids Man to Save His Homestead from Foreclosure.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SALEM (Or.) March 23.—Gov. James Withycombe today granted a ninety-day leave of absence to C. O. Bogart, serving a term in the penitentiary for assault with intent to kill, in order that he might plant his spring crop and save, if possible, his desert homestead in Malheur county from foreclosure proceedings.

Several weeks ago Bogart informed the Governor that unless he could be given an opportunity to plant his spring crop his wife and eight children would be without provisions next winter, and also unable to meet interest on a mortgage on his homestead. He is serving a term for attempting to kill a man named Mathews, with whom he quarreled over a land right.

STEAMER LINDAUER REPAIRED AT SEA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MARSHFIELD (Or.) March 23.—The steamer Adeline Smith arrived here today from San Francisco and reported that the disabled steamer G. C. Lindauer, which she picked up early yesterday, had been able to proceed for San Francisco under her own steam after the Adeline Smith had towed her as far as Crescent City.

When picked up by the Adeline Smith the Lindauer had a bad leak and her fires had been extinguished by inpouring water. After the leak was stopped and the water pumped out Capt. Sundman of the Lindauer told Capt. Olson of the Adeline Smith that he needed no further assistance.

CASHIER CASE APPEALED.

Four Defendants to Carry Their Conviction to High Federal Court.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Four defendants in the case of the government against the United States Cashier Company—Frank Menefee, president; Oscar A. Campbell, vice-president, and B. F. Bonnewell and H. N. Todd, sales agents—filed a transcript of record on appeal today in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. It is expected that the trial will begin in the United States Court of Appeals early in May.

The four appellants were indicted February 27, 1915, and trial began before court and jury July 6, 1915, F. N. LeMonn, sales manager, and O. E. Gernert, also being defendants. A verdict of guilty was returned by the jury August 16, 1915.

Le Monn waived his right to appeal and is serving a year's sentence at McNeil's Island. Gernert will prosecute a separate appeal, and is expected to file within ten days.

Menefee received a sentence of one year, and Bonnewell, Todd and Campbell were sentenced to four months. They are now appealing from these sentences.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS SHOW AN INCREASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 25.—Shipments of lumber mills in Western Washington and Oregon for the week ending March 18 exceeded the cut by 4.50 per cent, or 1,646,000 feet, according to reports from eighty-four mills received by the West Coast Lumbermen's Association.

For the same period the orders exceeded the shipments by 7 per cent., or 2,746,000 feet, while the orders exceeded the cut by 11.19 per cent., or 4,392,000 feet.

The cut for the week was 24,833,137 feet, with an estimated capacity of 9,772,000. Forty-four mills were active and reported a cut; twenty-five were active, but made no cut, while fifteen were idle.

JURY GOES TO CHICO.

Scene of Rev. Slaughter's Alleged Crime is Inspected.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICO, March 23.—The jury trying Rev. Madison Slaughter of this city on statutory charges in Oroville, arrived here today to inspect the Slaughter home, where the prosecution charges the offenses against Gertrude Lamson, a 16-year-old girl, were committed. Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter accompanied the jurors on the train from Oroville.

Automobiles met the party here and Slaughter went to his home with the jurors.

DECKHAND DROWNS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OAKLAND, March 23.—A. J. Calin, a deckhand, was drowned, and seven others narrowly escaped a similar fate as a result of the capsizing this morning in San Pablo Bay of the gasoline dredger Curlew, owned by the Charles A. Warren Construction Company, San Francisco.

Preacher Goes to Jail.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals today affirmed the conviction and sentence of Rev. E. E. Robins, a Methodist minister formerly of Salinas and other California towns, for sending obscene matter through the mails. He surrendered immediately to begin a three-year term in McNeil Island Federal Prison imposed by the United States District Court.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE SERVICE.]

SACRAMENTO, March 23.—Referendum petitions containing more than 4000 names have already been received at the Secretary of State's office. These are but the advance guard of the 69,000 signatures that are known to be on petitions now on file with the clerks of the different California counties. The petitions are aimed at the noparty registration law passed by the Legislature in special session in January.

Amador county sent one of the first petitions. It has created considerable excitement here, as it contains many names, which is more than half of the total registration of the county. This is taken as an indication that the sentiment against the administration's party law in the northern counties is very strong. Ventura county has the first petition from the southern part of the State; it contains 1500 names.

UP TO OLD TRICKS.

Word has been received here that the Mike Kelly Progressive club in Alameda county is trying to defeat the big petition from that county. It appears that an attempt has been made to evade accepting the petitions through tricks and devices. When petitions were circulated a number of volunteers appeared and expressed willingness to circulate them. Some of these secured some signatures on their petitions and carried them direct to the office of the Registrar of Alameda county in place of returning them to the referendary committee.

When a petition containing several thousand names was presented to the County Clerk coolly replied that no more petitions could be accepted, as two filings had already been made. It is alleged that the two little petitions were filed by members of the Republican party and that this plot was prearranged to block the big Alameda county petition.

DIRTY POLITICS.

While this will not affect the total names to defeat the referendum, provided that the whole Alameda petition is kept out, yet it shows the attitude of the administration toward the voters of the State. There is no question concerning the intent of the voters of Alameda county who circulated the petitions, and there also can be no question that the administration is willing to resort to any means to defeat the expressed will of the people. Chairman Cary of the republican state committee asserts that this case will be carried to the State Supreme Court. In this he has the backing of both the Republican and the Democratic State Central committees.

WATER PROBLEMS ARE DISCUSSED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—State water problems' conference session here today, adopted a report of the Riparian Rights Committee calling for legislative action, defining and defining riparian rights. The conference also decided to recommend legislation looking to the supervision of the disbursement of irrigation district funds.

A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Lieut.-Gov. Eshleman. Senator Caminetti, chairman of the conference, today's session V. S. McClatchy of Sacramento presided.

OIL TANK STEAMER FOR COAST TRADE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Contracts for the construction of a steel oil tank steamer, costing $1,000,000, which will fly the American flag on the Pacific, were let today by the Moore and Scott Iron Works to the Huasteca Petroleum Company of New York. The vessel will be built at Oakland.

It will be 485 feet long with a beam of fifty-seven feet and a depth of thirty-four feet. Contracts call for its completion in fifteen months.

WILLAMETTE RIVER IS RAPIDLY RISING

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Swollen by heavy rains and the melting of snow in the mountains, the Willamette River here today is 15.5 feet above low water and lower floors of several factories are flooded.

BELL WON'T PAY FINE.

Wants Technical Legal Question Decided in the Higher Courts.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—To decide a technical legal question in the higher court Theodore A. Bell, former Congressman and candidate for Governor, and another man today refused to pay fines for contempt of court, and were committed to jail. They sued for their arrest.

The question is one of the validity of a deed in a will case, in which two attorneys filed suit to have Judge George A. Sturtevant of the superior Court had declared void, thereby enjoining him. Judge Sturtevant held them in contempt and in order to get the matter before the District Court of Appeals refused to pay the fine, but habeas corpus proceedings were filed and are arrested.

SHOOTS WIFE AND SELF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—While their 5-year-old child tried to save his mother, who was a boarding house painter, shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Rachel Smith, a divorced wife, here today and then killed himself by shooting himself through his head.

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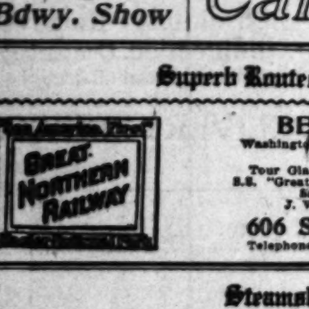

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HOLD DENTIST FOR MURDER.

Dr. Waite Accused of Poisoning His Father-in-law.

Fortune of Million and Half is Said to be Involved.

Widow of Victim also Dies Very Mysteriously.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—In a stupor from self-administered drugs, Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, a dentist and well known as a tennis player, was in the custody of detectives tonight and will be charged with the murder here on March 12 of his father-in-law, John E. Peck, a millionaire drug manufacturer of Grand Rapids, Mich., as soon as he can be taken into court. With the arrest of Dr. Waite, the District Attorney's office believes it has uncovered what will prove one of the most remarkable cases in many years.

Mr. Peck, who is reputed to have left an estate valued at about $1,500,000, and his wife, died within six weeks while visiting their daughter and her husband at their Riverside drive apartments here. By the will of Mr. Peck, his estate was equally divided between Mrs. Waite and Percy Peck of Grand Rapids, his son. Mrs. Waite now is seriously ill at Grand Rapids. Dist.-Atty. Swann said today he had learned she had been instructed by Waite to make a will in his favor.

When detectives went to the Waite apartment today, they found the young dentist in bed, apparently in great pain. Dr. A. A. Moore, the physician who attended Peck while he was here, declared Waite was suffering from overdoses of narcotics. Considerable quantities of three different drugs were found in the dentist's clothing, and he said he had taken some of each kind, beginning yesterday morning. Asked hom much he had taken he replied "plenty."

Dist.-Atty. Swann went to the house with a stenographer to take a statement from the dentist, but Waite was in a stupor. Dr. Moore said his patient probably would be able to go to court tomorrow. In the meantime, he will be closely guarded.

FINDS POISON IN BODY.

The arrest of Dr. Waite was ordered today after an investigation by the District Attorney, based upon the results of an autopsy on Peck's body, which revealed strong symptoms of poisoning. The case was placed in the hands of the grand jury today after Dora Heiler, a negro maid at Dr. Waite's home, and Dr. Jacob B. Cornell, a wealthy relative of the Pecks, had told stories to the District Attorney which seemed to him to warrant beginning proceedings against the dentist. The grand jury investigation will continues several days. Meanwhile Waite will be taken to the Tombs and be held without bail, charged with murder in the first degree, the District Attorney said tonight.

Both Dr. Cornell and Dora Heiler were before the grand jury today. The jury will be given copies of the death certificates of both Mr. Peck and his wife, as filed with the health department.

The maid, whom the State regarded as one of the most important witnesses, told the District Attorney today that Dr. Waite came into the kitchen where she was preparing dinner and poured something out of a bottle that he told her was medicine into soup which afterwards was served Peck at the dentist's home. This occurred, she said, about two days before the druggist's death.

MEDICINE IN TEA.

She noticed that Peck ate only a little of the soup and expressed a desire for a cup of tea. Dr. Waite went with her to the kitchen, she asserted, saying: "Father didn't like the soup. I'll put some more medicine in the tea." Peck drank the tea, she said.

Dr. Cornell said he visited Peck Saturday afternoon, March 11, and talked with him for about an hour. He seemed at that time to be in good health, the physician declared. While he was there, Dr. Cornell said, he saw Dr. Waite go into another room to which Peck had retired with a bottle containing what Dr. Waite told him was medicine. In a few minutes, he said, he heard Peck groaning. The next morning he was called to the telephone by Mrs. Waite and told that her father was dead.

When Dr. Waite was questioned at the District Attorney's office yesterday afternoon he admitted, according to Mr. Swann, that he had been living with another woman under the name of Dr. A. W. Walters, as well as with his wife. This woman is being sought by the authorities to be a witness before the grand jury.

POISON BOOKS FOUND.

Waite told the District Attorney that he had been practicing dentistry here. This statement, Mr. Swann declared, he had found to be untrue.

Detectives found in Dr. Waite's apartment seven or eight books, especially relating to poisons and their effects. In one volume there was a book mark between pages which described the use of the poison revealed by the autopsy on Peck's body.

The person who sent a telegram to Percy Peck at Grand Rapids on March 13, reading, "Suspicions aroused; demand autopsy; examine body," and signed "K. Adams," thereby preventing the cremation of Peck's body, was the "Good Samaritan" who prevented the complete covering of the alleged murder, in the opinion of Mr. Swann. The name is believed to have been fictitious, but it is thought the person who sent it was a man.

Upon receipt of the message, Percy Peck halted arrangements for the funeral, and two autopsies were held, disclosing poison not only in the stomach, but also in the brain.

Mrs. Waite had been receiving an allowance from her parents and it was also understood that Dr. Waite had some interests in South America. Miss Catherine Peck, a sister of the dead millionaire, gave Dr. Waite $40,000 recently to invest for her, she asserted, and never received any securities. The dentist told Mr. Swann that he had invested part of the money in a building loan and the remainder in bonds.

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Physician Announces that it Points not Only to Cure but to Prevention—May Relieve State of Much of Rapidly-growing Burden in Caring for Victims.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) March 23.—The discovery of a germ which he asserted caused epilepsy was announced today by Dr. Charles A. L. Reed, of Cincinnati in an address before the semiannual meeting of the Medical Society of the Missouri Valley. The germ was the bacillus epileptius and the speaker asserted that like the germ of lockjaw it probably exists in the soil and enters the body through the stomach and intestines, where it continues to live. Dr. Reed contended that clogging of the alimentary canal, always present in epileptic cases, forced the germs from the intestines into the blood, where it was also seen perpetuating.

In his address Dr. Reed said that there was abundant evidence tending to show that the disease often has been communicated from one person to another.

"This discovery of the real cause and nature of epilepsy," said Dr Reed, "points not only to cure but to prevention. While it brings a brighter day to the heretofore hopeless epileptic, it ought shortly to relieve the state of much of a heavy and rapidly growing burden."

SILK WORKERS REJECT SETTLEMENT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PATERSON (N. J.) March 23.—Paterson's 25,000 silk operatives, it was announced today, have unanimously rejected the silk manufacturers' compromise offer granting a nine and one-half hour day beginning May 1, and a nine-hour day commencing November 1, and will give the manufacturers until April 3 to comply with the original demand for a nine-hour work day.

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STATE UNIVERSITY HAS A BIRTHDAY.

SCHOOL AT BERKELEY IS NOW FORTY-EIGHT YEARS OLD.

Dr. Vincent, President of the University of Minnesota, Delivers the Principal Address—Corner-stone of the Benjamin Ide Wheeler Hall is Laid.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BERKELEY, March 23.—The University of California's forty-eighth birthday was celebrated on the campus today by a formal charter day programme in which faculty, alumni and undergraduates participated. Dr. George Edgar Vincent, president of the University of Minnesota, delivered the charter day address in the Greek theater.

Later in the day was laid the cornerstone of Benjamin Ide Wheeler Hall, a white granite class-room building, costing $730,000, the first of the new buildings to be built from the proceeds of the $1,800,000 bond issue voted for building purposes.

President Vincent in his address made an appeal for a "larger sense of the state" in America. He said:

"There is no uniform 'sense of the state in American minds. There are and have been many attitudes toward the common life, but the meaning of nationality, impressed upon us now in the new world situation, and future responsibilities and tests are forcing on us a new 'sense of the state.'

AMERICAN BOASTFULNESS.

"American boastfulness is being transformed into a national sense of responsibility and duty. Patriotism to millions of Americans is a glorified geography.

"Blind faith in national destiny has been a substitute for thought and effort and a hindrance to a people who need to formulate and pursue a national purpose. Like other nations Americans have thought of themselves as having a monopoly of providential oversight and aid. We are coming to a larger and more inspiring conception.

"Efficiency is a current shibboleth. Business methods are being carried into community life. Municipalities are declared to be corporations. Business is said to be politics and politics, business. The theory is being extended to state administration. This business sense of the state cannot touch the imagination and arouse the devotion which our common life demands.

"No education can be liberal which does not arouse a truer patriotism, a 'sense of the state,' and enduring moral earnestness and fidelity to an ideal national purpose.

"We face new times. We shall wield an influence for world welfare only if we are ready to assume our international responsibilities."

WOMEN WOODMEN IN COURT.

Ask Injunction to Restrain Parent Order from Interference.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OMAHA (Neb.) March 23.—Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, Supreme Guardian of the Supreme Forest of the Woodmen Circle, women's auxiliary of the Woodmen of the World, filed application in the District Court here late today for an order to restrain the National Executive Council of the Woodmen of the World from holding in effect a resolution recently passed which, the applicant asserts, deprives her of authority to appoint organizers, deputies, lecturers, adjusters and other officers and committees, or draw checks against the treasury of the organization to pay for the services of such officers or committees.

The suit, it is said, will affect several hundred thousand women throughout the country.

Mrs. Manchester held the office of Supreme Guardian for eighteen years and was elected at St. Paul last year for another term of four years.

TOBACCO CASES BEGUN.

Government Brings Forfeiture Proceedings Against Dealers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—The first of a series of forfeiture proceedings resulting from discovery of wholesale tobacco frauds, by which the government is said to have lost millions of dollars throughout the country during the past fifteen years, was begun here today. The action is directed against the Italian Toscano Company, in whose factory government agents seized cigars and leaf tobacco worth $9000.

It is charged that the company, between April 1, 1914, and March 16, 1916, caused false entries to be made in its books "for the purpose of defrauding the United States of a portion of its revenues derived from the manufacture and sale of cigars." The government claims that in addition to forfeiting its stock of cigars and tobacco, the concern also may be held for its factory and the land on which the latter stands. Many of the cigars seized by the government, it was said, were unstamped.

TO SELL APPAM'S CARGO.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NORFOLK (Va.) March 23.—Immediate sale of the cargo of the British liner Appam, a German prize here, because of depreciation, was recommended in a report to Federal Judge Waddill today by surveyors appointed by the court. The cargo consists principally of cocoa, oil, butter and maize.

FRENCH MINISTER DEFENDS "CREOLES."

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 23. — Gen. Pierre Auguste Roques, the new Minister of War, made his first speech in that capacity in the Chamber of Deputies today. He spoke in connection with the medical treatment of French colonial troops from Guadaloupe and the Antilles.

The new Minister also came to the defense of France's "creole battalions" against the charge made by a previous speaker that the colonials were trying to evade military service. He had served with the creole soldiers and had great affection for them, he said, with a great deal of warmth. Whatever their rank, they were respected by the entire army and he would not allow them to be disparaged. If any partiality was shown against them, the Minister said, he would make a severe example of the persons responsible for it.

The Minister's speech was loudly applauded in all parts of the chamber.

RAILROAD SOLD FOR ONE DOLLAR.

Had no Equipment, no Funds, but Otherwise it was Perfectly Good.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The railroad commission today authorized the sale of the capital stock of the Laton & Western Railroad, a twenty-mile line in Fresno county, to the California, Arizona and Santa Fe Railway Company for the sum of $1. The purchasing company is a subsidiary of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, with which the Laton road connects. The Laton road has no equipment and no funds. The Atchison company intends to establish a regular passenger and freight service on the line.

ALLOWS CONVICT TO FARM.

Oregon Governor Aids Man to Save His Homestead from Foreclosure.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALEM (Or.) March 23.—Gov. James Withycombe today granted a ninety-day leave of absence to C. O. Bogart, serving a term in the penitentiary for assault with intent to kill, in order that he might plant his spring crop and save, if possible, his desert homestead in Malheur county from foreclosure proceedings.

Several weeks ago Bogart informed the Governor that unless he could be given an opportunity to plant his spring crop his wife and eight children would be without provisions next winter, and also unable to meet interest on a mortgage on his homestead. He is serving a term for attempting to kill a man named Mathews, with whom he quarreled over a land right.

STEAMER LINDAUER REPAIRED AT SEA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MARSHFIELD (Or.) March 23.—The steamer Adeline Smith arrived here today from San Francisco and reported that the disabled steamer G. C. Lindauer, which she picked up early yesterday, had been able to proceed for San Francisco under her own steam after the Adeline Smith had towed her as far as Crescent City.

When picked up by the Adeline Smith the Lindauer had a bad leak and her fires had been extinguished by inpouring water. After the leak was stopped and the water pumped out Capt. Sundman of the Lindauer told Capt. Olson of the Adeline Smith that he needed no further assistance.

CASHIER CASE APPEALED.

Four Defendants to Carry Their Conviction to High Federal Court.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Four defendants in the case of the government against the United States Cashier Company—Frank Menefee, president; Oscar A. Campbell, vice-president, and B. F. Bonnewell and H. N. Todd, sales agents—filed a transcript of record on appeal today in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. It is expected that the trial will begin in the United States Court of Appeals early in May.

The four appellants were indicted February 27, 1915, and trial began before court and jury July 6, 1915, F. N. LeMonn, sales manager, and O. E. Gernert, also being defendants. A verdict of guilty was returned by the jury August 16, 1915.

Le Monn waived his right to appeal and is serving a year's sentence at McNeil's Island. Gernert will prosecute a separate appeal, and is expected to file within ten days.

Menefee received a sentence of one year, and Bonnewell, Todd and Campbell were sentenced to four months. They are now appealing from these sentences.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS SHOW AN INCREASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) March 23.—Shipments of lumber mills in Western Washington and Oregon for the week ending March 18 exceeded the cut by 4.50 per cent, or 1,646,000 feet, according to reports from eighty-four mills received by the West Coast Lumbermen's Association.

For the same period the orders exceeded the shipments by 7 per cent., or 2,746,000 feet, while the orders exceeded the cut by 11.19 per cent., or 4,292,000 feet.

The cut for the week was 34,833,187 feet, with an estimated capacity of 9,772,000. Forty-four mills were active and reported a cut; twenty-five were active, but made no cut, while fifteen were idle.

JURY GOES TO CHICO.

Scene of Rev. Slaughter's Alleged Crime is Inspected.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICO, March 23.—The jury trying Rev. Madison Slaughter of this city on statutory charges in Oroville, arrived here today to inspect the Slaughter home, where the prosecution charges the offenses against Gertrude Lamson, a 16-year-old girl, were committed. Mr. and Mrs. Slaughter accompanied the jurors on the train from Oroville.

Automobiles met the party here and Slaughter went to his home with the jurors.

DECKHAND DROWNS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OAKLAND, March 23.—A. J. Calin, a deckhand, was drowned, and seven others narrowly escaped a similar fate as a result of the capsizing this morning in San Pablo Bay of the gasoline dredger Curlew, owned by the Charles A. Warren Construction Company, San Francisco.

Preacher Goes to Jail.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals today affirmed the conviction and sentence of Rev. E. E. Robins, a Methodist minister formerly of Salinas and other California towns, for sending obscene matter through the mails. He surrendered immediately to begin a three-year term in McNeil Island Federal Prison imposed by the United States District Court.

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THOUSANDS SIGN REFERENDUM.

Many Petitions Have Already Reached Secretary Jordan.

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Johnson Henchmen up to Old Tricks in Alameda.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, March 23.—Referendum petitions containing more than 4000 names have already been received at the Secretary of State's office. These are but the advance guard of the 60,000 signatures that are known to be on petitions now in file with the clerks of the different California counties. The petitions are aimed at the nonpartisan registration law passed by the Legislature in special session in January.

Amador county sent one of the first petitions. It has created considerable excitement here, as it contains many names, which is more than half the total registration of the county. It is taken as an indication that the sentiment against the administration party law in the northern counties is very strong. Ventura county has the first petition from the southern part of the State; it contains 1100 names.

UP TO OLD TRICKS.

Word has been received here that the Mike Kelly Progressive club in Alameda county is trying to duplicate the big petition from that county. It appears that an attempt has been made to evade accepting the petitions through tricks and device. When petitions were circulated a number of volunteers appeared and expressed willingness to circulate them. Some of these secured some signatures to their petitions and carried them home to the office of the Registrar of Alameda county in place of returning them to the referendary committee.

When a petition containing several thousand names was presented to County Clerk Coolly recently for more petitions could be secured. Only two filings had already been made. It is alleged that the two little petitions were filed by members of the Kelly ring and that this plot was prearranged to block the big Alameda county petition.

DIRTY POLITICS.

While this will not affect the total names to defeat the referendum, provided that the whole Alameda county petition is kept out, yet it shows the attitude of the administration toward the voters of the State. There is no question concerning the intent of the voters of Alameda county who signed the petitions, and there also must be no question that the administration is willing to resort to any means to defeat the expressed will of the people. Chairman Cary of the republican committee asserts that this case will be carried to the State Supreme Court. In this he has the backing of both the Republican and the Democratic State Central committees.

WATER PROBLEMS ARE DISCUSSED

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—State water problems' conference session here today, adopted a report of the Riparian Rights Committee calling for legislative action and defining riparian rights. The conference also decided to recommend legislation looking to the supervision of the disbursements of irrigation district funds.

A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Lieut.-Gov. Eshleman, chairman of the conference. Today's session V. S. McClatchy of Sacramento presided.

OIL TANK STEAMER FOR COAST TRADE

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Contracts for the construction of a steel oil tank steamer, costing $350,000, which will fly the American flag on the Pacific, were let today by the Moore and Scott Iron Works to the Huasteca Petroleum Company of New York. The vessel will be built at Oakland.

It will be 425 feet long with a beam of fifty-seven feet and a depth of thirty-four feet. Contracts call for its completion in fifteen months.

WILLAMETTE RIVER IS RAPIDLY RISING

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Swollen by heavy rains and the melting of snow in the mountains the Willamette River here today is within 15.5 feet above low water mark and lower floors of several docks are flooded.

BELL WON'T PAY FINE.

Wants Technical Legal Question Decided in the Higher Courts.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—To decide a technical legal question in the higher court Thomas Bell, former Congressman and candidate for Governor, and another man today refused to pay fines imposed for contempt of court, and were remanded to jail for their arrest. They refused to go to jail, it was said.

The question in one case is the validity of a deed in a will case, in which two attorneys filed suit in the Superior Court had declared void. Judge George A. Sturtevant held them in contempt thereby enjoining them from filing and in order to get the matter before the District Court of Appeals they refused to pay the fine, for which habeas corpus proceedings were begun. They are arrested.

SHOOTS WIFE AND SELF.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—While their 5-year-old child tried to save his mother, Joseph Lenz, a house painter, shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Hattie Lenz, his divorced wife, here today and then killed himself by putting a bullet through his head.

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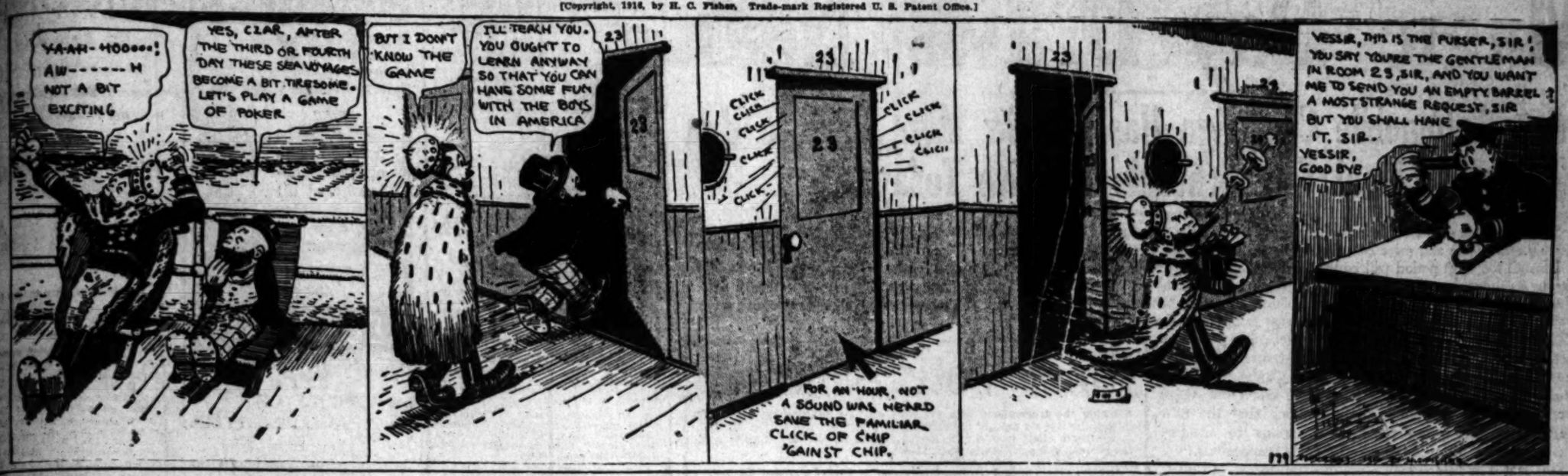

Aggressive.

CZAR'S TROOPS WIN SUCCESS.

Germans with Bayonets Around Lake Narocz.

Three Lines of Trenches, Thousand Prisoners.

Issues Denial of the Claims of Petrograd.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD (via London) March 23.—The Russian drive in the vicinity of Lake Narocz, according to reports received here, has carried them through three lines of German trenches. The Russians routed the enemy by bayonet fighting, capturing more than a thousand prisoners and seven machine guns.

While admitting that it is not yet clear whether the fighting, which is reported south of Dvinsk, signified a general advance of the Russian line in this sector or whether it was intended as a demonstration to attract German forces from the Franco-Belgian front, the military critics lay great stress upon what they allude to as the general success of the attacks during the last few days, the attacks of which is pointed to as being likely to have made an impression upon the German General Staff.

OVER WIDE COUNTRY.

The Russian troops are operating in large groups, covering a front of many miles, but the severest fighting is reported to have occurred in the vicinity of Lake Narocz, where the Russians' drive carried them through three lines of German trenches, heavily protected by wire entanglements. The Russians resorted to their favorite method at once fighting, routing the Germans after desperate resistance and capturing more than 1000 men, including three officers, a dozen machine guns and other booty.

The Germans are invariably counter-attacking the Russian attacks by advancing in other sections of the line, but to all appearances, according to military observers, the Teutonic forces lack co-ordination and it is believed that in spite of the recent introduction of additional troops in the region, the Russians anticipated that their adversaries may have begun a concerted offensive here.

INCREASE GERMAN FORCE.

The German strength was estimated at Petrograd to be eight corps of infantry and several cavalry divisions in the region, but these have since been considerably augmented.

An important success is recorded on the Caucasian front, where the Russians have captured the crossing of the Euphrates at Mikhaltchcha. The Austrian official communication is cited in Berlin to this victory, as it is stated that the Austrians were forced to abandon the position, following six months' defense, after the fortifications had been reduced by the Russian artillery.

THE BERLIN VERSION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) March 23.—The Russians, in spite of their great efforts on the eastern front, have made no advance, says the official statement given out today by the German army headquarters.

The statement says:

"On the front: 'The Russians directed their main aggressive activity during the morning and night time. They attacked several times with strong forces against the German positions on the railroad of Jacobstadt on both sides of the railway between Mitau and Jacobstadt, and four times against the German lines north of Dvinsk.

"On the front northwest of Postawy a number of prisoners taken by us reached fourteen officers and 800 men. The Russians in this sector undertook no more important attacks, apparently on account of the overwhelming losses they had suffered. They advanced several times with renewed forces, however, near Narocz and the Wisznies lake.

"The great sacrifices of men and material brought to the Russians by their attacks, as well as in several other surprises at other places, did not even the smallest advantage for the unshaken German defense.

"On the Austrian front: The German success near the forest of Avocourt has been completed by the occupation of the French points of support on the mountain ridge southwest of Hill 304. About 450 prisoners were taken.

"Otherwise, the general situation on the Austro-Hungarian front is unchanged."

Talk About Reservations.

Conductors on the Times Sea Beach Limited Train are authorized to talk to a certain number of passengers before they go on the trip about reservations. The train leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and the following Friday will be the last excursion. Berth on trains, and all the TIMES EXCURSION DEPARTMENT offices at stopping places on Main and Broadway.

Rates are Costly.

Long distance calls to The Times Friday morning.

GERMAN COMMERCE WITH RUMANIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, March 23 (via London.)—It is semiofficially announced that contracts have been executed between the official grain buying associations of Germany and Austria-Hungary and the Rumanian grain export commission for 100,000 carloads of corn and all the wheat, barley and legumes available for export, estimated at 40,000 carloads.

An agreement also has been reached, according to the announcement, whereby Rumania is to receive certain goods from the central powers. An effort will be made to make commerce mutually as nearly normal as possible, it is added.

A. O. SLAUGHTER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—A. O. Slaughter, for years prominent in Chicago financial circles as a grain dealer, stock broker and banker, died here today after a short illness.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

HARRISBURG (Pa.) March 23.—The State conference of leaders of the Washington party, as the "Progressives" in Pennsylvania are known, today adopted resolutions favoring the nomination of a complete State ticket by the party and expressing the hope that the Republican and "Progressive" national conventions at Chicago may be able to agree upon a candidate for President acceptable to the Progressives. Nomination papers will be prepared immediately for State candidates and delegates.

HOLLAND INAUGURATED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PULLMAN (Wash.) March 23.—Noted educators, including presidents and representatives of the leading colleges and universities of the United States, arrived here today for the inauguration of E. O. Holland as president of Washington State College. The exercises began tonight and will be concluded tomorrow.

Terrorized.

DANISH SAILORS REFUSE TO TAKE SHIPS TO SEA.

Fear of Losing Their Lives in the Submarine War Causes Seamen to Demand Guarantees from the Government Before Sailing—Four More Steamers are Sunk by the Germans and British Seize Two Teuton Vessels.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

THE HAGUE, March 22 (via London, March 23.)—At a meeting in Amsterdam held under the auspices of the Sailor's Union, the crews of half a dozen ocean-going steamships due to sail today resolved not to join their ships until more definite arrangements had been reached with the government for the safety of the vessels. This discussion affected also the Holland-America Line, whose steamship Nieuw Amsterdam is scheduled to sail tonight, or tomorrow.

The steamship Zeelandia, sister ship of the Tubantia, which recently was sunk by a mine or a torpedo, will not sail for Buenos Aires, March 29, as had been arranged.

There is much discussion of the suggestion that Dutch steamships be convoyed by warships.

"Nothing definite yet has been ascertained concerning the sinking of the steamer Tubantia," said Minister of Marine Rambonet to the Associated Press representative today, "but nothing will be left undone by our department to try to establish the cause of the disaster.

"The ship lies with the broken area upward, which is favorable for diving purposes. The pieces of metal found in the Tubantia's lifeboat are being tested carefully at the torpedo school in Amsterdam. The rumor that it has been definitely established that they were pieces of a torpedo is unfounded."

The Minister added that from the German official communication it was impossible to believe that the sinking of the steamer was done by order of the German Admiralty. If a German submarine was the culprit, the only explanation was that the commander exceeded his instructions or lost his head.

LIFE SAVERS ACCOMPANY SHIP.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROTTERDAM (Holland) March 23, (via London, March 23.)—The Holland-American liner Nieuw Amsterdam, which was announced to sail tonight sailed instead at 2:30 o'clock this morning, it was learned this evening.

She will be accompanied as far as The Downs with life-saving materials. She will be escorted in coming from New York, from The Downs to this port.

Negotiations with the Sailors' Union have been concluded satisfactorily so that no trouble with the crew of the Nieuw Amsterdam is expected. About 550 passengers boarded the Nieuw Amsterdam yesterday evening.

FOUR MORE SHIPS SUNK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—The Hamburg-American liners Prinz Adalbert and Kronprinzessin Cecille, which were seized at Falmouth at the outbreak of the war, were condemned in prize court today as prizes.

The Norwegian steamship John Blumer, which left Baltimore March 5, bound for Vaksdal with a cargo of grain has been taken into Kirkwall, Scotland, by a patrol vessel.

The Norwegian bark Lindfield has been sunk. Thirty of the crew were rescued and are aboard the Norwegian bark Silas, which is approaching Queenstown.

The Lindfield was of 2276 tons gross and owned by the Lindfield Company, with Porsgrund as port of entry. She left Portland, Or., on November 7, last, for United Kingdom ports.

Lloyd's reports that the French bark Bougainville has been sunk. Twenty-three members of her crew were picked up.

The Bougainville sailed from San Francisco, August 21, last, for London, and was last reported as having sailed from Falmouth in February. She was owned in Nantes, where she was built in 1902. Her gross tonnage was 2248.

The British steamship Sea Serpent has been sunk.

The Sea Serpent had a gross tonnage of 902 and was built in 1898. She was 225 feet long, thirty-three feet beam and twelve feet deep and was owned by C. F. Leach & Co., of London.

The Norwegian steamship Kannik was sunk Wednesday night, according to a dispatch to Lloyd's from Havre. The crew was saved.

BIG CARGO OF GRAIN LOST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—With 131,250 bushels of wheat valued at $127,845, which she loaded at Portland, the Norwegian bark Lindfield, Capt. Nordberg, sailed from the Columbia River for Queenstown or Falmouth for orders, November 9. The vessel was under charter to M. H. Houser. The bark was of 2142 tons net register.

Capt. Nordberg was part owner of the Lindfield. En route from Portland to the United Kingdom she was sold to another firm. The same company buying her also purchased the British bark Inverneshire, which was dismantled some time ago and is now at Hobart, Tasmania.

NO AMERICANS LOST.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The American Consul at Havre reported today that the British steamer Kelvin Bank had been torpedoed and sunk in Havre Roads with a loss of one life. No Americans were aboard.

SCHOONER BREAKING UP.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BAY CITY (Or.) March 23.—The schooner Oakland, which went ashore at the mouth of the Nehalem River last night after she had been abandoned by her crew, was turned by the incoming tide and is breaking up in the heavy swells.

OUCH! LAME BACK RUB LUMBAGO OR BACKACHE AWAY

Rub pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacob's Oil."

Kidneys cause backache? No! They have no nerves, therefore cannot cause pain. Listen! Your backache is caused by lumbago, sciatica or a strain, and the quickest relief is soothing, penetrating "St Jacob's Oil." Rub it right on your painful back, and instantly the soreness, stiffness and lameness disappear. Don't stay crippled! Get a small trial bottle of "St. Jacob's Oil" from your druggist and limber up. A moment after it is applied you'll wonder what became of the backache or lumbago pain.

Rub old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" whenever you have sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism or sprains, as it is absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Political.

MAINE STRONG FOR HUGHES.

Twelve Unpledged Delegates Favor the New Yorker.

Wishes of Pine Tree State G.O.P. are Made Known.

Senator Smith of Michigan Orator of the Day.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND (Me.) March 23.—Charles E. Hughes, Justice of the United States Supreme Court, has a State of Maine Presidential delegation of twelve at his command, as a result of the Republican State Convention held here today. Officially it is an unpledged delegation which was elected, for Maine has always been slow at instructing its representatives who sit in the party councils of the nation. Again, it is well appreciated that there is considerable of a lapse of time between March and June when the national convention will actually meet. But the delegates made it plain today, so all may read, that Justice Hughes is the man they want to see nominated.

When it was all over, and the leaders found the convention was for Hughes, they were willing it should be understood they had graciously bowed in recognition. They would have it, that it had flourished under their kindly auspices. To their credit it must be said that once it began to swing they made no attempt to block its progress but on the whole their assistance was passive rather than positive.

LEADERS CO-ASSISTANTS.

The real credit belongs to the plain delegates, the men from the Far North country, from the seacoast and the more inland counties. In the Hughes chorus, the leaders were co-assistants, not solo singers.

The trend of the convention towards Hughes was plain last night, but among the many praising his name were some who were declaring for him because it was the easiest way out of the dilemma.

The lead of the Hughes over the Roosevelt sentiment seemed surprisingly large to those who remembered the past demonstrations made by Portland and the State in honor of the colonel.

Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan was the orator of the day.

Former Gov. W. T. Cobb of Rockland as the chairman of the convention was ideal. His keynote speech was a genuine effort which brought the delegates up standing. As a result of his effort, a boom has already been started by some of those who heard him, to press him for temporary chairman of the National Republican Convention. Later on Senator Smith, the orator of the day, made a speech appropriate to the hour.

There was harmony almost to spare at the convention. During the proceedings, which lasted from 10 in the morning till close to 5 in the afternoon, there was only one break. After Editor Staples of the Lewiston Journal, who was chairman of the Resolutions Committee and author of the resolutions, had finished his work, a gentleman from up State moved to add a plank for the repeal of the direct primary law. He made a very substantial speech in favor of his motion, a speech which plainly impressed the delegates, but the convention wanted peace and it voted down the suggestion with an overwhelming "no" vote.

Skeptical.

A HARD TASK FOR AMERICANS.

DR. NEWBY SAYS CAPTURE OF VILLA NEARLY IMPOSSIBLE.

Declares it is the Geronimo Problem Magnified a Hundred Times. Former Carranza Surgeon Doubts Truth of Reports Regarding Gen. Herrera's Revolt.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) March 23.—Among arrivals here today from Chihuahua City was Dr. J. O. H. Newby, an American physician, formerly chief surgeon to Carranza's army. Dr. Newby said that he was no longer officially connected with the army, but that he was transacting some business between the de facto government and Washington. He insisted that the reports of Herrera's defection must be untrue, as he knew the general well and believed him absolutely loyal to Gen. Carranza.

Dr. Newby said Gen. Gutierres had 4000 men strung out between Chihuahua and Santa Ana, the latter town about twenty miles south of Namiquipa, with which he believed he could prevent Villa breaking through to the south. He said, however, that there were many desertions from the Carranza army on account of the low pay. The government soldiers, he said, were paid two Mexican dollars a day, worth about 5 cents in American money. The horses of the cavalry were also in bad shape, he reported, as they had hardly any corn and lived mainly on dried grass.

According to the physician the American troops have an almost impossible task to catch Villa if the bandit chief reaches his haunts in the Sierra Madre around Guerrero.

"I know that country well," he said, "and with good reasons. For thirty or forty days I was hunted there by 300 to 600 Orozco soldiers, who wanted to drive me out of a mine I had. I was alone, but they never had a chance. I had a good rifle with a powerful telescopic sight and I used to sit up there in those mountains watching my pursuers passing backward and forward. None got within 800 yards that I did not wing. It took eighteen months for Gen. Miles to capture Geronimo and the Villa problem is Geronimo over again, only multiplied about 100 times."

Dr. Newby said that up to three days ago the people of Chihuahua City knew nothing of the crossing of American troops in Mexico.

BRITISH RESCUED FROM SENUSSI.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—The War Office tonight made public the following official communication:

"A further report has been received from Egypt regarding the liberation of ninety-one prisoners who were in the hands of the Senussi tribesmen. The rescue expedition, which was entirely separate from the action of March 14 (when the British captured Sollum) took place March 17.

"Nine armored cars, twenty-six other cars and ten motor ambulances left Sollum at 3 o'clock in the morning, guided by Capt. Royle and two natives. The prisoners were said to be at Bir Hakim, seventy miles from Sollum, but the actual distance traveled was about 121 miles.

"At the approach of the cars, the guards fled, but they were pursued and killed. All the cars returned safe, bringing back the prisoners, who are being cared for in the hospital. Their condition is reported as satisfactory. Only two prisoners remain in the hands of the enemy and there is some hope that they may be rescued."

A dispatch from London March 18 reported that an armored car section under the command of the Duke of Westminster had rescued, twenty-five miles west of Sollum, ninety shipwrecked sailors who had landed on the Cyrenica coast and been seized by the Senussi. The foregoing communication probably refers to this incident.

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Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

TIMES CIRCULATION FOR FEBRUARY, 1916.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of February, 1916:

FEBRUARY, 1916.	Copies.
February 1	64,900
February 2	62,760
February 3	61,980
February 4	61,910
February 5	62,080
February 6 (Sunday)	106,500
February 7	61,990
February 8	61,940
February 9	62,060
February 10	62,190
February 11	62,190
February 12	62,410
February 13 (Sunday)	106,260
February 14	62,144
February 15	62,440
February 16	62,070
February 17	62,010
February 18	62,190
February 19	62,760
February 20 (Sunday)	106,180
February 21	62,200
February 22	62,061
February 23	62,067
February 24	62,297
February 25	62,280
February 26	62,560
February 27 (Sunday)	106,160
February 28	62,240
February 29	62,311
Average for every day of February	69,749
Sunday only, average for February	106,019

HARRY CHANDLER,
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Magic Day Draws Near

Times Automobile Campaign Has But Six More Days to Run Final Vote Schedule Effective Today

Standing today with their faces to the future, and with the thought of "Now or never" hovering in their minds, candidates in The Times big automobile and prize campaign are entering upon the last six days of the race.

This all too short period will be the deciding factor in determining the ultimate winners of the splendid prize array that has for weeks, by its stupendous liberality, dazzled the eyes of all Southland. Feminine hearts are beating faster; eager hands are reaching out to pluck the magnificent prizes, topped by a battery of sixteen handsome automobiles. Is it any wonder, then, that faces assume a resolute air and firm declarations are made to emerge from the race a victor?

This morning the new and final vote schedule goes into effect, to continue until the end. The response to this last offer was instantaneous. Barely had the Campaign Office opened yesterday morning for the day, when one voice after another declared over the telephone that the new scale would surely prove for them a means to success. Callers during the day announced similar convictions.

This last schedule replaces the one heretofore in effect, and allows candidates to attain almost unheard of vote totals on new subscription payments.

Candidates are now, more than ever, finding second payments a very fruitful source of votes, and this possibility of sending the vote reserves up to commanding figures is leading candidates to thoroughly cover again the ground they have once been over. Second payments will apply on the new vote scale the same as before, the votes received on the first payment being deducted.

A striking feature of the home stretch is the personal pride that is becoming so noticeable. Countless numbers of candidates have voiced their determination to win at all hazards. Some have declared that to accept defeat would be disgrace; others have said they owe it to their friends who nominated them, to exert every effort until the last minute.

Thus, on a basis of personal honor, the competition is being waged zestfully. Shedding luster on this inspiring sight is the civic pride that is injecting itself. This mighty factor is the bulwark behind the candidates of outside districts, pushing them on to the winning line. In short, these candidates from the smaller towns have practically the whole home community behind them solidly.

No community which really values its reputation for hustle is going to let some neighboring town walk off with such desirable prizes, when a little effort will bring them home.

Read carefully the final instructions that appear here. Do not make up your mind that you understand any particular rule until you are absolute sure of its full meaning. If the precaution of careful reading is closely adhered to, there should be no vain regrets concerning rejected votes not cast because the senders did not conform to the rules of the campaign. If in doubt concerning any point whatever, communicate with the Campaign Department direct, and everything will be made clear.

This new schedule starting today makes new subscriptions worth nearly twice as much as the former scale, and a good opportunity exists to make the home stretch a lively one. Make up your mind now that the only thing that separates you from an automobile of your own is the time between now and the end of the campaign—don't let it be insufficient votes.

Final Vote Schedule

Showing the tremendous vote value of all new subscription payments during the last six days of the campaign. This scale will not be changed. It will be in effect from 8 a.m., Friday, March 24, to the closing hour of the campaign, 9 p.m., Wednesday, March 29.

Los Angeles Times Delivered by Carrier or Mail Daily and Sunday.

		—VOTES— NEW	OLD
One Month	$ .75	2,200	500
Three Months	2.25	8,600	2,500
Six Months	4.50	22,200	7,500
One Year	9.00	54,400	20,000
Two Years	18.00	128,800	50,000

Los Angeles Times Delivered by Mail or Carrier Without Sunday Times.

		—VOTES— NEW	OLD
One Month	$ .65	2,200	500
Three Months	1.95	7,600	2,000
Six Months	3.90	19,200	6,000
One Year	7.80	49,400	17,500
Two Years	15.60	108,800	40,000

Clip this out and paste in your receipt book. This is the last and final vote scale that will ever be made in the campaign. No other rate or special prize inducement will be offered.

Nomination Period Ends Saturday, March 25
No Nominations Will Be Accepted After This Date

Use this blank to enter candidate. Fill out as directed and bring or send to the Campaign Manager.

Nomination Blank Good for 5000 Votes.
The Los Angeles Times Greater Prize Campaign.

To Campaign Manager: Date..............1916.
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Signed.......................Address.......................

This blank counts 5000 free votes. Only one nomination will be credited to each contestant. When accompanied by your first subscription an additional 15,000 votes will be credited to you free.

Read These Final Instructions Carefully

As a matter of caution, and to guard against the possibilities of loss to candidates through misunderstanding during these last days of the campaign, herewith are appended the final instructions that should be observed. All candidates and particularly those residing in outside districts should read and weigh every line carefully:

1. All votes and remittances mailed after today (Thursday) should bear special delivery stamps to insure their reaching us in time. If you live outside of Los Angeles and intend to mail your votes and subscriptions, take the precaution to find out exactly what time your postoffice closes, and also find out all possible information regarding train service on the roads that will carry your votes to the Campaign Office.

2. You are allowed the privilege of mailing your subscriptions and votes any time up to and including next Wednesday, March 29. This gives you the opportunity of working to the very last minute. In sending your votes and subscriptions be sure to have them in your postoffice before 9 o'clock next Wednesday night, March 29. These votes must reach the Campaign Office by Saturday noon, April 1, and show the postmark of being mailed before 9 p.m., March 29. The Los Angeles Times will not be responsible for the counting of your votes unless they are received by the above stated time.

3. All remittances and votes should be plainly addressed to the Campaign Manager of The Los Angeles Times. This will insure absolute accuracy and prevent any of them from going astray.

4. Be sure that your name and district number are on every ballot before sending them to this office.

5. UNDER NO CONDITIONS WILL VOTES BE TRANSFERRED FROM ONE CANDIDATE TO ANOTHER. THIS IS AN ABSOLUTE RULE AND WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

6. Every subscription turned in will be verified, and no prizes will be awarded until this is done. All votes secured on "old" subscriptions that have been turned in as "new" will be cancelled. Be sure that your subscriptions are marked correctly.

7. Contestants may send in their reserve votes any time now, as the ballot box has been locked and sealed, and the key placed in The Times vault. The ballot box will not be opened except by the judges at the final count. When sending in these votes do not roll or fold, but send them in a flat package, using a little cardboard so as to keep them absolutely flat. Be sure to use special delivery stamps on all letters, votes, etc.

8. Positively no personal checks will be accepted in payment for subscriptions. All remittances sent to Campaign Department from today on, must be either money orders, certified checks or drafts. If you have any checks given to you by subscribers, go to your local bank and have them certified before sending in your remittance to the Campaign Department.

9. Owing to the uncertainty of mail reaching candidates in time to be returned before the final count, the Campaign Department will not, after Saturday, return any votes that are issued on subscriptions. Prompt acknowledgment will be made, however, by letter of all subscriptions and remittances received from candidates, and the votes will be deposited in the locked ballot box to the credit of the candidates. If you do not receive a prompt acknowledgment of subscriptions and remittances that you send in, be sure to notify the Campaign Department immediately.

10. Examine your vote ballots carefully and see that the correct number of votes have been issued on same.

The ballot box has been locked and sealed and the key placed in The Times vault, where it will remain until the judges open the box to make the final count. The standing of every candidate as it appears below, includes every coupon, every subscription ballot and every vote that has been sent in for publication throughout the campaign up to last Tuesday noon. The votes as they appear today will remain unchanged from this time on until the final count of the judges, except in case of correction. The reserve votes held by candidates and the votes they will receive on subscriptions up to the final hour may be deposited at any time during this last week up to the closing hour, 9 p.m., Wednesday, March 29. These votes, however will not be credited in the published standing of contestants until the judges make the final count.

IF THE COUNT BELOW IS NOT ABSOLUTELY CORRECT, ACCORDING TO YOUR FIGURES AND RECORDS, NOTIFY THE CAMPAIGN MANAGER IMMEDIATELY, SO THAT PROPER CORRECTION CAN BE MADE BEFORE THE CLOSE OF THE CAMPAIGN. If you reside in an outside district, either telephone or telegraph us immediately to notify us of any errors.

District No. 1.

Includes all territory in the city of Los Angeles bounded on the south by West First street, on the east by North Main street to the river; on the north by the Los Angeles River, and includes Hollywood.

Lucy Lopizich, 454 N. Beaudry 407,800
Mrs. Etta F. Terrell, 1357 Bellevue ave. 406,900
Mrs. H. S. Ashe, 1330 Calumet st. 405,850
Margaret Gray McKee, 1226 June 404,690
Sallie Williams, 5401 Hampton court 401,200
Sarah J. Hittle, 712 California st. 360,200
Eileen Hennessey, 6032 Romaine 350,240
Josephine Breed, 1441 Donaldson 270,100
Mrs. Fred Kley, 6352 Selma ave., Holly 265,880
Jean Madeleine Quinn, 5610 Franklin st. 245,100
Mary Langerman, 1136 W. First 188,800
Mrs. Arthur Kroll, 219 N. Olive 166,900
Mrs. A. F. Hagerman, 4201 Cumb 138,040
Anna D. Seckler, 1145 Sanborn ave. 125,400
Maud McLellan, 6778 Hollywood blvd. 99,080
Mrs. Eloise Doty, 420 California st. 65,400
Miriam E. Kensiton, 164 Toluca 62,910
Viva Nelson, 428½ California st. 55,890
Adelia McCord, 953 N. Kingsley Drive 54,010
Lucile Lander, 5357 Hollywood Blvd. 52,600
Mrs. Isabel Allen, 907 Lucile ave., Holly. 51,070
Marion Albert, 5728 Carlton Way 49,250
Dorothy Kistlnbury, 1819 Cherokee 48,810
Anna Burkhart, 529½ Temple 48,290
Celia Sugarman, 460 N. Custer 44,080
Agnes Wiener, 1830 Fleming st. 40,190
Mrs. H. L. Staley, 2236 Ivanhoe ave. 36,100
Mrs. Estelle L. Lindsey, 2416 Echo Park 34,190
Mrs. C. A. Jones, 533 Waterloo st. 34,020
Mrs. E. B. Jones, 7248 Hillside ave. 33,180
Mrs. E. Anderson, 1474 Temple St. 31,980
Florence Byers, 704 N. Grand 30,010
Mrs. J. W. Smith, 431 Bunker Hill 24,040
Mrs. Goldie Grohman, 860 Sunset blvd. 20,100
Mrs. R. K. Bayle, 926 W. 62nd place 401,810
Mrs. J. W. Jorgensen, 2945 Kansas 390,410
Mrs. Maggie V. B. Ward, 2711 S. Vermont 386,100
Nellie Umstead, 5015 Dalton 348,510
Mrs. Clara Pierce, 1395 W. 38th 342,100
Mrs. E. T. Gerdes, 2618 Palm court 326,170
Mary H. Jones, 3215 Key West 322,600
Mrs. M. Davis, 5104 S. Vermont 262,450
Margaret Dierking, 917 56th place 176,450
Mrs. Otto H. Haese, 1059 W. 39th 166,960
Mrs. L. M. Huttleson, 1728 W. 39th place 77,200
Mrs. Lucile Reed, 3915 Denker 76,010
Mrs. Annie F. Hayhurst, 837 W. 57th 71,550
Mrs. T. Phelps, 1002 W. Jefferson 68,900
Mrs. A. W. Dobbin, 973½ W. 46th 60,270
Mrs. F. Buehler, 705 W. 63rd 54,170
Tura Slocum, 4103 Halldale 50,120
Goldie Vickary, 710 W. 43rd place 42,080
Alice Kempster, 3431 S. Sixth ave. 40,200
Mrs. Bertha L. Barker, 1210 W. Eighth 40,200
Curtyne Engler, 1133 W. 40th place 37,190
Mae Mortley, 918 W. 55th 36,190
Laura Ebler, 5400 S. Vermont 34,900
Anna Berryman, 3087 Budlong 34,900
Mrs. Mead, 4171 Hobart 33,170
Lucille Bay, 1501 W. 48th 31,190
Imogene Francis, 4536 S. Wesley 25,600
Mrs. Oscar H. Harper, 1610 W. Jefferson 24,100
Mrs. F. H. Walbridge, 4223 Hoover 23,760
Genevieve Bell, 4081 Van Ness 22,980
Lillie B. Westfall, 1148 W. 37th drive 21,650
Elsie Ingraham, 1505 Vermont 20,410
Sarah Tuttle, 503 First st. 19,440
Mrs. Baker P. Lee, 3972 Budlong 16,010
Adda L. Hoffman, 378 W. 40th st 5,000
Mrs. Geo. M. Dero, 724 W. 46th 5,000

District No. 2.

Includes all territory in the city of Los Angeles bounded on the north by West First street, including West First; on the east by South Main street, on the south by West Adams street, on the west by the city limits.

Mrs. Elma G. Pink, 1715½ W. Third 406,800
Mrs. Mary Hulbert, 1411C Valencia 407,880
Elsie Anderson, 1256 Crown Hill ave. 406,810
Lucile Kramer, 925 Alvarado 405,900
Mrs. Natalie Dudley, 1447 Malvern 405,570
Eva Mitchell, 920 S. Carondelet 404,800
Mrs. C. D. Wilbur, 822 S. Alvarado 404,590
Ida Marts, 521 W. Washington 403,950
Blanche Gafin, 237 S. Serrano 403,750
Mrs. C. Fletcher, 1839 S. Main 403,270
Marjory Snyder, 719 S. Park View 402,990
Alma C. Smith, 2100 S. Vermont 402,900
Mrs. William J. Durm, 1417 Albany 401,800
Mrs. T. L. O'Brien, 684 Kip st. 401,670
Mrs. F. W. Fabrick, 1332 W. Fifth 400,850
Florence H. Pennell, 2834 Frances ave. 400,500
Grace Helen Pease, 1341 S. Union 400,150
Mrs. Mabel Wilson, 2555 S. Hoover 398,100
Edna Rollins, 1720 S. Oxford 385,010
Anna B. Douglas, 6th and Figueroa 382,080
Phoebe Bassor, Hamburger Story Girl 376,880
Mrs. Fred L. Sharp, 909 S. Ardmore 346,170
Eleanor Turner, 2973 W. 11th 344,750
Blanch Kirkland, 2489 W. Washington 320,100
Lulu Armbruster, 1701 Magnolia 314,680
Grace Cunning, 3834½ S. Flower 166,200
Irene Kay, 1227 Winfield 160,100
Mrs. Annie Hutcherson, 845 S. Olive 122,100
Amy Jacobs, 726 W. 18th 86,250
Mrs. V. B. Redmond, 1027 Byram 85,140
Katherine Sharon, 240 S. Bonnie Brae 74,140
Frances Ryan, 635 S. Flower 68,100
Mrs. J. M. Mordoff, 1411 Albany 52,470
Frieda G. Diest, 672 W. Washington 44,950
Mrs. J. Ellerman, 1636 Millard 41,020
Daisy L. Close, 965 S. Berendo 36,790
Daisy L. Loucks, 1800 Arlington 34,190
Yvette Mitchell, 1355 Wright 29,080
Mrs. Peter Bewer, 2434 W. Twenty-third 21,010
Ruth Schellenbach, 1615 Shatto 20,120

District No. 3.

Includes all territory bounded on the north by West Adams street, including West Adams street; on the east by South Figueroa street, on the south by Manchester avenue, on the west by the city limits.

Mellicent Edinger, 619 W. 41st place 407,630
Mrs. Jack Oeschel, 1228 W. 36th place 406,610
Bertha G. Smith, 1301 W. 28th place 405,800
Mrs. George H. Bemus, 4161 Dalton 404,160
Elsie Ferguson, 1060 W. 35th place 403,800
Jessie Lawton, 1020 W. 35th 402,100

District No. 4.

Begins at the corner of Figueroa and West Adams streets, thence to South Main street, north on Main street to Pico street, east on Pico street to the city limits; is bounded on the east by the city limits; by Manchester avenue on the south and by South Figueroa street on the west.

Ethel Ione Reaves, 1939 Santee 406,700
Mrs. Audrey Conklin, 1712 San Rafael 405,900
Ida R. Rutland, 1253 E. 48th 403,630
Mrs. Arthur Soloman, 206 W. 59th 374,450
Minnie Koenig, 630 E. 25th 360,010
Mrs. J. Henry Edstrand, 315 W. 48th 266,400
Mrs. M. J. Martin, 450 E. 48th 253,300
Jessie E. Spink, 5274 S. Main 225,800
Genevieve Thomas, 1416 E. 23rd 142,800
Mrs. E. Burns, 3115 S. Main 128,400
Mary Fellows, 1042 E. 49th place 101,100
Helen Sinerias, 3701 South Park 84,500
Mrs. E. M. Wilms, 2500 Maple 62,110
Mary Windroth, 2950 Grand ave. 57,020
Emma Marker, 641 E. 41st 52,140
Mrs. Jessie Sheets, 1400 Santee 47,600
Etta Gault, 3816 Adair 44,010
Bessie Berman, 2401 Central 41,900
Edith Griffin, 1152 E. 34th 40,180
Mrs. J. H. Mendenhall, 274 W. 42nd place 36,010
Julia Buolna, 1733 S. Los Angeles st. 34,400
Mrs. Ethel Crouse, 798 E. 43d 29,970
Charlotte Woodward, 3820 Main st. 28,980
Mrs. E. M. England, 317 E. 35th 27,190
Blanche Rose, 208 W. Vernon 24,800
Mabel Snyder, 1703 S. Main 22,170
Elsie Hicks, 1200 S. Soto 21,010
Mary Gruber, 1397 E. 56th 19,890
Esther Pinkstaff, 1815 E. 41st 18,100
Margaret Wade, 1256 E. 27th 17,170
Mrs. M. A. Collins, 2704 Hooper 15,130
Faye Goldner, 830 W. 47th st. 13,170
Mrs. W. F. Price, 639 Ruth ave. 5,000

District No. 5.

Is bounded on the west by North Main street to the river; on the south by Pico street to the city limits, with the city limits as the eastern boundary, and includes all of Boyle Heights, East Los Angeles and Garvanza to the South Pasadena city limits on the north.

Mary Panzich, 940 Summit ave. 406,790
Genevieve Burke, 425 S. Avenue 21 405,600
Tuddie Nefroney, 432 N. Evergreen 404,170
Mabel Chapman, 5408 Abbot place 402,780
Lois Curtis, 900 E. Pico 400,710
Sarah F. Denny, 3743 Occidental 370,160
Lois Shorten, 6317 Eagle Rock ave. 289,100
Hazel Gayhart, 236 E. 12th 284,120
Maud Kline, 301 S. Boyle 280,330
Constance Wood, 3427 Marmion way 272,600
Myrtle Griffith, 2301 E. First 190,700
Mrs. Bertha Woodworth, 2441 Folsom 164,040
Mrs. L. C. Buttman, 509 S. Soto 143,510
Lillie Felker, 2086 N. Sichel 140,900
Mrs. Annie M. Graham, 6420 Ruby st. 124,170
Mrs. B. S. Towne, 910 N. Avenue 65 104,610
Marie Kohl, 1139 Wall st. 72,600
Cora M. Lindsey, 5310 Monte Vista 54,010
Ida Piuma, 299 N. Avenue 20 51,040
Helen Sechi, 203 E. Avenue 26 44,120
Ruth Pollock, 53 Irvington place 41,760
Nellie Burton, 2112 Pasadena ave. ....[illegible]
F. Geraldine Bender, 301 S. Boyle ....[illegible]

Will March 29 Be Your Day of Fortune?

Here are the prizes to be Given free on that day.

One MITCHELL SIX, $1395, on display at William R. Ruess, Tenth and Olive.

One MOON SIX, $1295, on display at Lynn C. Buxton, Pico and Olive.

One BEARDSLEY ELECTRIC, $1185, on display at Beardsley Electric Co., 1250-60 West Seventh.

One OAKLAND, $1175, on display at Hawley, King & Co., 1027-33 S. Olive St.

One HOLLIER "8," $1085, on display at R. P. Pennock, 1017-19 South Olive.

One GRANT SIX, $895, on display at Bekins-Speers Motor Co., Pico and Grand.

One SAXON SIX, $885, on display at Saxon Motor Sales Co., 1140 South Olive.

One BRISCOE, $850, on display at Pacific KisselKar Branch, Tenth and Olive.

One PULLMAN, $850, on display at Aston Motor Car Co., 1310-12 South Grand.

One SCRIPPS-BOOTH ROADSTER, $850, on display at R. C. Hamlin, 1040 South Flower.

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Anna Goldstein, 2506 E. Third 26,780
Hazel Stilley, 1062 Los Palos 24,040
Agnes Nelson, 3800 Louisiana 23,810
Carmelita Arguello, 431 S. Breed 22,770
Rose Dickman, 1801 Brooklyn 21,100
Mrs. Bertha Rubin, 3035 Winter 20,140
Peggy Clark, 2112 Mozart 19,190
Mrs. A. Buman, 209 N. Mathews 18,770
Mrs. C. C. Gill, 3100 E. Fifth 16,010
Monnetta Jones, 2516 Cincinnati 15,900
Maurine Moore, 2233 E. First 14,180
Minnie Schwartz, 1235 E. Ninth 12,010

District No 6.

Includes the following cities: Pasadena, South Pasadena, Alhambra, Monrovia, Arcadia, Sierra Madre, Duarte, Glendora and Lamanda Park.

Mrs. Helen Boshyshell Warner, Alhambra 405,900
Mrs. George Johnson, 824 S. Los Robles, P. 404,880
Mrs. C. W. Austin, 291 Park, Pasadena 403,700
Sarah H. Southwick, 537 N. Fair Oaks, P. 322,860
Bunyce L. Johnson, 1132 Sunset blvd. 283,500
Muriel Bemis, 476 Madison, Pasadena 244,120
Mrs. Anna S. Foster, 1468 Locust, Pasadena 215,660
Marian Hayman, Lamanda Park 202,400
Miss L. A. Pitt, 874 Worcester, Pasadena 181,900
Mrs. Gabriel Quinones, Duarte 126,900
Lowana F. Moore, 2062 Milan ave., S. Pas. 108,700
Mrs. J. D. Brown, 447 W. Orange, Monrovia 52,600
Miss M. S. Wylie, 106 Ford Pl. Pasadena 51,690
Miss A. C. Doty, 2043 Milan ave., S. Pas. 38,190
Mrs. M. C. Northup, 303 S. First, Alhambra 31,600
Mrs. M. Gray, 518 Gelma st., Pasadena 28,170
Ethel Grimes, Arcadia 27,910
Abby Cash, Route 6, Los Angeles 26,160
Mrs. T. H. Pratt, 1642 N. Los Robles, P. 24,860
Majesta Spencer, Arcadia 24,120
Emma Hale, 125 W. Bellevue drive, Pas. 19,010
Mrs. H. F. Markolf, 1002 N. Catalina, Pasa. 16,760
Bertha Barker, 1519 Casa Grandes, Pasadena 15,770
Mrs. Hattie Whaley, 1820 Acacia, Alhambra 15,100

District No. 7.

Includes Long Beach, San Pedro, Redondo, Wilmington, Manhattan and Hermosa Beach.

Mrs. R. Lemon, 400 S. Elena, Redondo 407,890
Madge E. Saco, 1244 St. Louis, Long B. 405,600
Hazel La Croix, 843 Pine, Long Beach 402,600
Mrs. Orville Hilleary, 100 N. Miramar, L.B. 333,650
Mrs. Thomas Preston, 2408 Hermosa, H.B. 333,070
Jessie B. Walker, 408 Pine, Long Beach 314,420
Mrs. Cora J. Tucker, 309 Cor., Long Beach 302,100
Ella Aarup, 815 W. 18th, San Pedro 280,010
Mrs. J. Curtis, 354 Chestnut, Long Beach 254,010
Elsa Grenke, 737 E. 6th, Long Beach 192,600
Blanche Ogle, 711 Chestnut, Long Beach 186,550
May Botherton, Balboa Am. Co., L. B. 152,410
Lucy Cree, 1350 E. 3rd, Long Beach 149,100
Cecile E. Jones, 102 Pacific, Redondo 144,680
Mrs. J. G. Ruggs, 629¼ Pine, Long Beach 130,300
Mary L. Niman, 1106 Locust, Long Beach 109,300
Geneva Pickard, First st., Manhattan 75,910
Annie Threlkeld, R. 1, Redondo 60,010
Dorothy Sumter, 1329 E. Ocean, Long Beach 33,600
Mrs. Maud L. Reed, 247 Daisy, Long B. 30,880
Emma Howorth, 1010 Coronado, Long B. 23,020
Mrs. A. C. Conner, Manhattan Beach 9,900
Mrs. Ethel Braly, 428 N. Mason, San Pedro. 9,000

District No. 8.

Includes Ocean Park, Santa Monica, Venice, Soldiers' Home and Sawtelle.

Mrs. Nita Finane, 311 Penn., Westgate 404,650
Della Snyder, 125 N. 5th, Sawtelle 380,880
Anna E. Shoenfeldt, Sawtelle 380,600
Dorothy Burns, 1312 Innis place, Venice 314,800
Laura Lipking, R.F.D., Sawtelle 302,500
Ruby Bryant, 434 S. 6th, Sawtelle 290,100
Mrs. L. M. Brenner, 417 S. First, Sawtelle 195,250
Donal'a Lowry, 1017 4th, Santa Monica 191,650
Donalda Lowry, 1017 4th, Santa Monica 190,100
Mrs. George Salter, 17 Wave Crest ave., Ven. 45,150
Loreta Cunningham, 55 Ozone, Ocean Park 36,100
Corene Evans, 3rd and Indiana, Sawtelle 36,010
Marguerite Ball, 1117 3rd, Santa Monica 32,050
May Sisson, 544 Elena ave. 22,400
Hazel Kennedy, Soldiers' Home 13,650
Bertha Hague, Soldiers' Home 12,800
Mrs. Maud Snyder, 121 S. Wabash, Sawtelle 10,510

District No. 9.

Includes all of Los Angeles county not mentioned elsewhere.

Mrs. C. M. Good, 875 S. Louise, Glendale 406,890
Mrs. Norman Wright, San Dimas 405,840
Eleanor Collins, Tropico 404,900
Fannie Rowland, 519 Ruby, Hunt. Park 403,010
Mrs. Carrie Hamer, Downey 402,510
Dora Metcalf, Inglewood 400,540
Mrs. Otto Gottwald, Downey 370,960
Frances Jewitt, R.F.D. No. 13, Los Angeles 360,410
Mrs. C. F. Myers, Rivera 338,100
Grace Cooper, Puente 328,500
Bertha Sarrall, 7th and Cypress, Palms 323,650
Ruby Rees, 226 Phila st., Whittier 316,640
Mrs. E. Middleton, 1008 E. 4th, Pomona 314,950
Mrs. E. Braswell, 122 S. Central, Glendale 260,100
Bertha Motta, 108 E. 2nd, Pomona 228,680
Mrs. Margaret Idlor, 920 6th, San Fernando 226,910
Mrs. E. Cakebread, Gardena 225,440
Phoea Roberts, Norwalk 196,200
Mrs. Minnie M. Searle, Tropico 125,100
Hazel E. Rogers, 352 Magnolia, Burbank 123,430
Mrs. Chase E. Mace, Azusa 90,100
Lita Nash, Covina 69,030
Olive Vaughn, 256½ Mar., Hunt. Park 64,410
Emma Blum, Acton, Cal 62,090
Edith Boyer, 219 S. Marconi, Hunt. Park 60,160
Mrs. J. A. Varria, Lancaster 54,010
Caroline Herbert, San Fernando 53,600
Mrs. Eva Sheeley, Littlelands 45,100
Mrs. W. A. Wren, Lomita, Cal. 34,010
Majella Green, El Monte, Cal. 32,010
Clara Perry, San Gabriel 31,140
Mrs. Marshall Moore, Palmdale, Cal. 28,900
Lulu Williams, Lancaster 27,080
Olive Pardee, Hynes, Cal. 20,070
Mrs. Sam Perkins, Los Nietos 23,000
Anna Burk, 1526 Kulli st., Eagle Rock 21,400
Mrs. E. K. Fisher, Huntington Park 21,000
Dorothy Morgan, R.F.D., No. 10 17,180
Rachel Hanna, El Segundo 16,900
Kate Lyons, Downey 15,160
Mary Alleman, Willowbrook 14,610

District No. 10.

Includes the counties of Riverside and Orange.

Mrs. Laura Tucker, Anaheim 407,010
Jessie F. Kerr, Huntington Beach 401,880
Jeanetta Hegener, 7th st., Seal Beach 395,400
Ella Hess, 174 W. 12th, Riverside 345,620
Eva Stearns, Tustin 332,100
Mrs. Lee Newton, 628 N. Grand, Orange 325,800
Vera Lobo, 926 W. Wall, Santa Ana 312,410
Mrs. F. E. Kerr, R.F.D. No. 2, Fullerton 306,210
Gladys Swoffer, R. No. 2, Santa Ana 250,900
Lucy Standford, Thermal, Cal. 177,090
Hazel Goetz, Placentia, Cal. 102,800
Jeanette Wulf, Highgrove 97,010
Lillian Davignaw, R. 3, Anaheim 78,190
Edith Munger, El Toro, Cal. 69,910
Ruth Reid, Banning, Cal. 62,100
Thelma Gist, Beaumont, Cal. 60,170
Mrs. Demetrious, Westminster, Cal. 42,090
Bessie Escallier, Temecula, Cal 41,010
Alice Kirby, Corona, Cal. 36,100
Ruth Tate, Corona, Cal. 31,170
Miss W. E. Lovejoy, Wildomar 26,750
Mrs. H. Thayer, R.F.D. No. 2, Fullerton 26,020
Ruth Sharp, Harper, Cal. 24,020
Mrs. Dr. Dryden, Mecca, Cal. 21,780
Mrs. Percy Peebles, San Jacinto 21,700
Irene Vardy, Temecula, Cal. 20,960
Hale Syke, Murrietta 20,780
Juanita Daguerre, El Toro, Cal 19,890
Mrs. B. H. Crow, San Jacinto, Cal. 16,170
Callie Lloyd, San Jacinto 16,100
Jessie Torgensen, Hemet, Cal. 14,120
Helen Lucy, Placentia, Cal. 14,010

District No. 11.

Includes the counties of Ventura, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Tulare and Kern.

Mrs. G. W. Pierce, 2420 Gardena, Santa B. 395,070
Hazel Kaiser, San Luis Obispo 375,010
Iva Leopold, Santa Paula 374,860
Callie Chaffee, 340 Ventura ave., Ventura 370,020
Martha Hoffman, 654 C st., Oxnard 368,450
Mrs. Geo. Ringo, 1703 16th, Bakersfield 368,220
Marie E. Keller, Woodlake, Cal. 310,800
Fannie Hammond, Tulare 222,580
Mrs. J. B. De Foe, Jr., Wasioja 95,650
Ethel Bass, Hanford 68,280
Grace Harding, Templeton, Cal. 55,150
Mrs. C. G. Mayberry, 605 Hockett, P'ville 50,170
Mrs. Charles Abbott, Summerland, Cal. 46,790
Maude Sechler, Piru, Cal. 44,190
Anna Huer, Moorpark, Cal. 42,880
Mrs. R. T. Davis, Lindsay, Cal. 40,010
Mrs. C. H. Parker, Angiola 38,600
Mae Fence, Santa Margarita, Cal. 35,150
Julia Clark, Venice Hill, Klink 33,120
Mrs. Roy Smith, Serena 34,280
Ethel Akers, Exeter 32,010
Marie Thompson, Moorpark, Cal. 31,280
Florence Davis, Sespe, Cal. 30,760
Mrs. M. S. Montgomery, Simi 29,640
Anna May Breene, Bettervoia, Cal. 28,180
Anna Quarnstrom, Templeton, Cal. 26,010
Mrs. L. Lillie, Camarillo, Cal. 24,040
Mrs. H. J. Wiley, Monachia blvd., Porterville 22,780
Mrs. Carson, Randsburg, Cal. 21,390
Elaire Stunett, Lindsay, Cal. 21,090
Mrs. J. F. Moody, Hot Springs 20,040
Mildred Fuller, Corcoran 18,100
Mrs Charles Fahey, Randsburg, Cal. 17,390
Grayce Awtrey, Exeter 17,190
Mrs. Lillian Coles, Los Alamos 17,180
Mrs. A. B. LeRoy, Moorpark, Cal. 14,670
Edith Moore, Sespe, Cal. 13,610
Miss Irene Beattie, Sultana 13,120
Esther Harrington, Santa Margarita, Cal. 12,800
Clara Nielson, Solvang 11,490
Mrs. J. K. Hartman, Orcutt, Cal. 11,440

District No. 12.

Includes the counties of San Bernardino, Imperial and San Diego and Arizona and Nevada.

Mrs. F. S. Booher, 529 11th, Douglas 404,090
Maud Trowbridge, 348 Eureka, Redlands 403,450
Mrs. F. L. Sargent, El Centro 397,500
Mrs. E. B. Williams, 220 Monterey, Ontario 390,890
Mrs. H. Owens, Williams, Ariz. 380,200
Mrs. Leonard Warmington, Bisbee, Ariz. 380,100
Mrs. Clem Moyer, 824 Railroad, Flagstaff 380,400
Mrs. Ray Colburn, E. 9th, Upland 342,960
Leslie Mayflower, Flagstaff ....[illegible]
Mrs. J. W. Powell, El Centro 212,600
Lillian C. Taylor, Warner's Springs 174,790
Ida Paul, 112 N. 8th, Colton 169,500
Loretta Barnes, San Bernardino 125,900
Ruth Axemaker, Brawley 104,010
Elenore Meade, Prescott, Ariz. 100,100
Grace R. Charles, Victorville 85,400
Mary Reynolds, Oceanside 81,690
Saidee M. Harris, Kingman 75,100
Mrs. Emma Shadley, 739 Third, San Ber. 75,050
Clara Morris, Safford, Ariz. 73,100
Mrs. Hartley Henderson, 32 Centre 68,800
Anna Borch, First st., Colton 66,980
Irene Doniey, Imperial 72,070
Mabie Bishpan, Needles 57,860
Dorothy Weaver, 1820 4th, San Diego 53,680
Mabie Lemon, Pearce, Ariz. 52,150
Margaret Hays, Holtville, Cal. 45,190
Fannie Hensley, Highland, Cal. 42,620
Thelma Eikens, Redlands 40,950
Virginia Everett, Oceanside, Cal. 38,100
Ruth White, Yuma 36,930
Mrs. W. F. Gray, Oatman, Ariz. 36,050
Mrs. R. R. Gray, Chino, Cal. 35,140
Mrs. W. McClintock, Alamono, Cal. 32,900
Mrs. Ed Gilbert, Cucamonga 32,100
Mary Braiden, Lemongrove 29,900
Mrs. E. Crow, Escondido, Cal. 26,010
Mrs. F. S. Hardy, Wagner, Cal. 25,190
Mrs. Blanche Kilburne, Cucamonga, Cal. 24,190
Mrs. M. H. Blome, 1119 W. 11th, Douglas 23,010
Mrs. J. Grimes, Rialto 22,850
Mrs. J. W. Morton, Brawley 22,620
Della Walker, Safford, Ariz. 21,400
Mrs. C. Stearns, Escondido, Cal. 20,450
Edna Cooper, Heber, Cal. 20,120
Mrs. Hanna M. Seeley, Chino 19,100
Ermal Dawson, Bagdad, Cal. 18,190
Wilma Mahoney, Winslow, Ariz. 18,080
Mrs. L. A. Downing, Cucamonga, Cal. 17,470

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[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via Sayville) March 23.—Interesting details of some of the exploits of the German commerce raider Moewe have been given by her commander, Capt. Burgrave Count von Dohna-Scholdien.

The day after the capture of the Appam by the Moewe, says the Overseas News Agency's summary of the Count's reminiscences, the steamer Clan MacTavish was sighted at 4:30 o'clock in the morning. The MacTavish being fast, it was only after a long chase that the Moewe was able to get near her. Then ensued a wireless conversation, the Moewe asking, "What ship are you?"

The MacTavish, being somewhat mistrustful, answered, "Who are you?"

The Moewe replied: "A German cruiser; stop immediately."

"The MacTavish declared by wireless, 'I have stopped,' but she continued at full speed," said the Moewe's commander in recounting the incident.

"The first shell we sent exploded on the bridge. The firing went on until after the MacTavish had been hit several times, when she wirelessed 'We have really stopped.'

CAPTAIN FRUSTRATED.

"A month later during one night a ship was sighted whose nationality it was impossible to learn. Her most clever captain, when I asked him who she was, gave me a name which was not to be found in any of the shipping registers. I asked again, upon which he gave another name. The captain afterward told me that in his confusion he really had forgotten the name he gave first.

"It was a matter of indifference under which name the ship was sunk, but it was pitiful that we should have to sink a steamer with 1000 bottles of champagne on board, as we had no more of the stuff ourselves.

APPAM SEIZED.

"Off Madeira the Appam was sighted. I signalled her to stop. As the captain did not obey I fired a single warning shot, upon which the steamer came to a halt.

"When we steamed over to the Appam we noticed sailors of the British navy who were about to direct cannon against us. These sailors were driven away by rifle fire.

"On board the Appam, besides four officers and thirty men of the British navy, we found chests of gold. These we carried with us to Germany."

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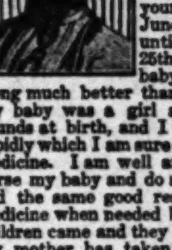

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, March 23.—The battle of Verdun furnished the occasion for the first encounters resembling the battles popularly pictured in the imagination before the war, when German aircraft were sent up in considerable groups to take note of the effect produced on French field works by heavy guns.

The Germans sent their best aviators to the scene. At their head was the famous Lieut. Boelke. They found adversaries worthy of them in Lieut. Guyenemer, Adjt. Navarre and the emulators of their exploits of the still anonymous recruit of the One Hundred and Ninety-first, who brought down a German on his first trip in actual warfare.

The German tactics in the air are the same as on the field, their aim apparently being to overwhelm their adversary by numbers. They found the French to be sending up men singly and they began sending their men up in couples. The French doubled their scouts. Then the Germans quadrupled theirs, and since the first week in March their flying squadrons here never have comprised less than ten machines.

Groups of fighting machines assembled by the French to meet them, and engagements at heights of 2000 yards, in which a score of machines were employed, were the result.

The losses increased in proportion on both sides.

The French feel sure that they had the better of it so far. Lieut. Guyenemer was put out of action for a fortnight by flesh wounds in the arm, and machines landed every day with the pilot or observer wounded or killed, in two cases both occupants of a machine having been fatally injured. Two machines of the same group came back and landed normally, but no one got out of either of them. The observer of one apparently was killed while it was in the air, and the pilot died just after the landing. The pilot of the other lived barely long enough to bring his aeroplane home. He was unconscious when the machine landed. The observer died the following day.

While the Germans, in some of the engagements, have had the advantage of numbers, the French pilots appear to outdo them in audacity in manoeuvering. The French machines are equal in horizontal speed to all of those of their adversaries, excepting the newer types, and are quicker than any of them in getting into the air. This superiority in ascensional speed is said by competent authorities to be the trump card of the French in air fighting, where the upper hand counts in deadly fashion.

SUBMARINE WAR DEBATE STIFLED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, March 23 (via Sayville, N. Y.)—Definite action was taken today to prevent an open debate in the Reichstag on the question of unrestricted use of submarines. The steering committee for regulation of parliamentary business, composed of the senior members of the various parties, decided that the submarine resolutions should be tabled. Representatives of the Conservative and National Liberal parties, which brought forward the resolutions, gave tentative acquiescence. The submarine question probably will be discussed secretly in connection with the deliberations of the Budget Committee.

FRENCH ARE PUT IN BAD POSITION.

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DESTROYER ROWAN SLIDES INTO SEA.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

QUINCY (Mass.) March 23.—The United States torpedo-boat destroyer Rowan, named for Vice-Admiral Stephen C. Rowan, was launched today from the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation. Miss Elizabeth McLean Ayers of Cincinnati, a grandniece of Vice-Admiral Rowan, christened the vessel.

TO STOP HOP IMPORTS.

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LONDON, March 23.—Walter Runciman, president of the Board of Trade, announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that the British government was contemplating the prohibition of the importation of hops.

EXPLOSIVES FOR THE CZAR.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

COUNCIL BLUFFS (Iowa) March 23.—Eighteen carloads of nitroglycerin passed through Council Bluffs today. It is consigned to the Russian government at Vladivostok, Russia.

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Telephone your Sunday ads to the Times early Saturday.

FRIDAY MO[RNING.]

Revolution.

DEMAND Y[UAN] RESIGN

Chinese Republic[ans] ... President of ...

Want Him Tried f[or] ... the Empor[or] ...

Attempt to Turn ... Monarchy Aba[ndoned] ...

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[BY PACIFIC CA[BLE]]

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MONARCHY ABAN[DONED]

[BY A. P. DAY WI[RE.]]

WASHINGTON, March ... notification of the aba[ndonment] ... President Yuan Shi Ka[i] ... turn the Chinese rep[ublic] ... monarchy reached the ... ment today from Amer[ican] ... Reinsch at Peking. N[o] ... explanations were made ... later.

Opportunity.

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AMERICAN FIRM TO ... FOOTING IN CH[INA] ...

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ELEVATOR BURN[S]

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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Rather Early than Late
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Revolution.

DEMAND YUAN RESIGN OFFICE.

Chinese Republicans Accuse President of Treason.

Put Him Tried for Accepting the Emporship.

Attempt to Turn Country into Monarchy Abandoned.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Official advices from Chinese revolutionary leaders in Shanghai received today by officials of the Chinese Republic Association here stated Yuan Shi Kai's resignation has been demanded by the republican army."
That by a national assembly of provincial representatives for having attempted the Emperorship is also demanded, according to the same cable advices.
The demands are said to have been made by Gen. Tang Chi-Yao, commander of the "republican army" and military Governor of Yunnan province.
The advices to the Chinese Republic Association, which has actively aided in financing the punitive expedition against Yuan Shi Kai since his assumption of the Emperorship, confirmed the news of abandonment of the crown and the resumption of the republic.
Indications are, it was said today by officials here, that the revolution will continue until Yuan Shi Kai leaves the Presidency.
Troops in two cities of Kwang Tung province, today's cable information said, have joined the "republican army" attacking the province.

CHINESE ARE DIVIDED.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]
SHANGHAI (China) March 23.—Advices from Hongkong today indicate that the State Department mandate favoring abandonment of the plan to restore the monarchical form of government in China has met with a cool reception in South China.
Of the two equally strong and forceful factions there, the supporters of Yuan Shi Kai are said to believe there will be a peaceful settlement of the existing differences as a result of the action reached. Those opposed to Yuan Shi Kai, according to the advices, declare the mandate has come too late and that people are too deeply incensed against what they charge as Yuan Shi Kai's faithlessness to his Presidential oath to be appeased by anything less than his elimination as head of the government.

ANARCHY ABANDONED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
WASHINGTON, March 23.—Formal notification of the abandonment of Yuan Shi Kai's project to turn the Chinese republic into a monarchy reached the State Department today from American Minister Calhoun at Peking. No details or explanations were made by the Minister.

Opportunity.

WILL BOOM TRADE IN THE ORIENT.

AMERICAN FIRM TO ESTABLISH FOOTING IN CHINA.

Banks of Credits, the One Great Factor to Extension of Business Across the Pacific, to be Formulated—Fourteen Steamships to Augment the Fleet.

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MANY OPPORTUNITIES.

"Opportunities for American trade in the oriental countries were never greater than at present," said Keegan. "There are many industrial fields that have been monopolized heretofore by Germany. The war has cut off German trade, and there is a particularly-inviting field for American machinery. We intend to establish American plants that will afford oriental purchasers even more favorable terms than they were able to obtain in Europe before the war. Lack of concessions has been one of the greatest obstacles to the extension of America's foreign trade."

TO RUN STEAMERS.

The New York firm reported by Messrs. Keegan and Rosencrantz was organized to deal in munitions and war supplies. Its operations have been extended to include innumerable American products. A fleet of fourteen steamers is now operated by the concern between America and various foreign countries. Plans are now being perfected for the establishment of a trans-Pacific line of freight steamers to handle the China trade.
Messrs. Keegan and Rosencrantz commenced operations as boys together in Kansas City years ago. They acquired the Chinese language and did business among local Chinese merchants. At present they are recognized among the leading American exporters in the Orient.

ELEVATOR BURNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SUPERIOR (Neb.) March 23.—Destroyed by an overheated bearing, the Superior Milling Company building, the mill and elevator, the Superior Corn Products Company today, and the local power and light plant. The loss is placed at $100,000.

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Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs," for children's ills; give a teaspoonful and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.
Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Eastern States Still Cold, but Middle West is Warming Up.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Traces of the devastating blizzard which swept Northern Illinois, Indiana and Ohio and parts of Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota yesterday were almost obliterated today. The death list of nine was increased by four children found dead in an Indiana house. Eastern States are cold, but the Middle West warmed up considerably. Chicago had maximum of 36 deg. and minimum of 21 deg. Michigan points still report 4 deg. below zero.
Other temperatures, furnished by the United States Weather Bureau:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	86	52
Boise, Idaho	46	32
Bonita, Cal.	..	52
Boston, Mass.	36	24
Buffalo, N. Y.	20	8
Calgary, Alberta	46	28
Corona, Cal.	..	46
Denver, Colo.	66	42
Des Moines, Iowa	48	22
Dodge City, Kan.	68	44
Duluth, Minn.	28	8
Durango, Colo.	44	26
Escondido, Cal.	..	47
Eureka, Cal.	46	40
Flagstaff, Ariz.	38	24
Fresno, Cal.	56	44
Galveston, Tex.	74	68
Havre, Mont.	40	32
Helena, Mont.	38	32
Huron, S. D.	46	26
Independence, Cal.	66	..
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	44
Kamloops, B. C.	46	34
Kansas City, Mo.	54	36
Knoxville, Tenn.	62	34
Memphis, Tenn.	60	36
Modena, Utah	40	26
Montreal, Quebec	22	12
Moorhead, Minn.	34	14
New Orleans, La.	80	60
New York, N. Y.	38	22
North Head, Wash.	44	40
North Platte, Neb.	70	38
Oklahoma City, Okla.	62	48
Omaha, Neb.	50	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	42
Phoenix, Ariz.	62	56
Pittsburgh, Pa.	36	20
Pomona, Cal.	..	44
Portland, Or.	46	34
Rapid City, S. D.	52	36
Red Bluff, Cal.	54	42
Redlands, Cal.	..	45
Reno, Nev.	38	28
Riverside, Cal.	..	45
Roseburg, Or.	48	34
Roswell, N. M.	68	54
St. Louis, Mo.	50	28
St. Paul, Minn.	40	16
Sacramento, Cal.	56	42
Salt Lake City, Utah	50	48
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	42
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	45
San Diego, Cal.	56	54
San Fernando, Cal.	..	41
San Francisco, Cal.	54	44
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	54	42
Seattle, Wash.	48	36
Sheridan, Wyo.	40	36
Spokane, Wash.	46	30
Swift Current, Sask.	36	32
Tampa, Fla.	78	66
Tonopah, Nev.	32	24
Tustin, Cal.	..	48
Washington, D. C.	48	28
Williston, N. D.	26	16
Winnemucca, Nev.	36	30
Winnipeg, Man.	32	..
Yuma, Ariz.	62	56

WIRELESS AMATEURS ACTIVE ON BORDER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 23.—On the report that amateur wireless stations along the border have been picking up radio messages from Gen. Pershing's headquarters the government officials here have started an investigation. The activity of these nonprofessionals is also given as one reason why the wireless outfit with the expeditionary forces has been working so badly the past two days. No arrests have been made, but stations put up by several boys have been dismantled.

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SPRING RUSH ON TO ALASKA CAMPS.

TRAINS ARE UNABLE TO CARE FOR THE TRAFFIC.

Two Hundred and Fifty-eight Men Arriving from Seattle Clamor for Transportation to Anchorage. Board Arrives to Settle Recent Labor Trouble.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
SEWARD (Alaska) March 23.—The spring rush to the government railroad construction camps has begun. Two hundred and fifty-eight men arrived today on the steamship Admiral Watson from Seattle and clamored for transportation to Anchorage. Traffic has become so heavy that construction trains are unable to handle it and the commission will operate a passenger train daily.
Reports received from points on Cook Inlet today said the ice was beginning to break up and the first boat may be able to reach Anchorage by May 1.
J. A. Moffett, B. M. Squires and Hywel Davies, members of the Mediation and Conciliation Commission appointed by the Department of Labor to settle the wage dispute between the Alaska Engineering Commission and workmen arrived today from Seattle.
Chairman Moffett said the commission would leave over the trail for Anchorage tomorrow.
The labor trouble at Anchorage began February 7, when sixty track layers quit because their demand of increased pay from 37½ cents an hour to 50 cents an hour was rejected. A labor union was organized at Anchorage, with more than 600 members, and a general strike was called, but upon recommendation of Gompers the men went back to work pending a settlement of the wage dispute by the arbitration commission.

AIDS PASADENA HOSPITAL.

Over Three Million Dollars go to Charitable Institutions.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
NEW YORK, March 23.—Religious, charitable and educational institutions in this and other cities will eventually receive more than $3,330,000 under the will of Mrs. May Leask, who was the wife of George Leask, wholesale commercial paper dealer. Mrs. Leask died a week ago and the will was filed for probate today.
Upon the deaths of various persons named among the legatees, $32,000 will go to the Presbyterian Board of Relief for disabled ministers and the widows and orphans of deceased ministers, and $25,000 to the home and foreign missions board of the Presbyterian Church. Until their deaths the legatees receive the interest on the funds. In memory of the decedent's parents $10,000 is left to the Pasadena (Cal.) Hospital.

MUSICIANS GO TO MICHIGAN.

Oakland is Defeated for the Annual Meeting Next Year.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
LINCOLN (Neb.) March 23.—The 1917 convention of the National Supervisors of Music was today awarded to Grand Rapids, Mich., after a spirited contest in which Oakland, Cal., sought the next meeting. The session of the delegation in convention here will close tomorrow.
Business meetings and round-table discussions marked today's sessions, at which officers for the coming year were elected, as follows:
President, P. W. Dykema, Madison, Wis.; vice-president, C. H. Miller, Lincoln, Neb.; secretary, Miss Julia Crane, Potsdam, N. Y.; treasurer, James McIlroy, McKeesport, Pa. Mr. McIlroy was re-elected for his seventh term. Carl Cherkins of Oberlin, O., was chosen to fill a vacancy on the board of directors.

MICHIGAN WOMEN WORK FOR BALLOT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
DETROIT, March 23. — Michigan suffragists, with several leaders of national prominence at a State conference, which closed here today, decided to form the "most effective organization the Michigan Suffrage Association has ever had."
It was understood that the Michigan suffragists would petition the State Legislature next year to allow the voters to pass upon a suffrage amendment in 1918.

Mary S. Woodrow.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
VERSAILLES (Ky.) March 23.—Mrs. Mary S. Woodrow, 98 years old, a cousin of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, died at her home here today. Mrs. Woodrow was bridesmaid at the wedding of Abraham Lincoln and her cousin, Mary Todd.

Classified Liners.

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Accepted subject to the following rates and rules: Rates: The rate for inserting Want Ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday issue, 1½c per word each insertion; minimum charge applicable to a single insertion and to each non-consecutive insertion, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge, applicable to a single insertion and to each non-consecutive insertion, 30c daily, 35c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices," "Miscellaneous," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan," "Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," "Detectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and Massage."

An extra charge of 25 per cent. is made for the use of capital letters.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

White space and dashes are charged for on the basis of seven words to a line.

Ads set solid are counted strictly by the word. For paragraphed or lined-up matter set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to a line. Not set in caps, estimate five (5) average words to the first line, and eight (8) average words to each line following. In this kind of advertising the actual number of words set solid is counted, and eight (8) words added for each unfilled line.

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Errors not the fault of the advertiser, which clearly lessen the value of an advertisement, will be rectified only by republication, without extra charge, on presentation of receipt within two days after insertion. No allowance will be made where the error does not materially affect the value of the advertisement.

No adjustment will be made for advertising items not affected by an error or errors which may occur in other items in the same advertisement.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times for payment for "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

Telephoned orders to discontinue advertising in The Times are numbered in the order of their receipt, and in each instance the number of the order is given to the advertiser, who should make a record thereof. In case of dispute no charge for advertising will be rebated unless the "stop order" number is presented to The Times by the advertiser.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m. Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 100,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

"BE QUICK TO KICK IF THINGS SEEM WRONG, BUT KICK TO US AND MAKE IT STRONG."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper and have "liner" and other advertisements inserted, bronze letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLOCK, 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 312 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GRANT BLDG., 355 S. BROADWAY. (Front of elevator.)
HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth st. lobby.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 417 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
HOW INVESTMENT BLDG., 738 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby, rear of elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. Mail Box.)
O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Lobby near elevator.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 606-610 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
C. WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., THIRD AND MAIN. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. MAIN. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

The location of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

REDIPHONE—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF those handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books valued at 75 cents each, the coupon being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 and Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS for the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for any debts or obligations incurred by my wife, May E. Smith, on or after March 23, 1916. EDWIN F. SMITH.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT PAY DEBTS OR be a party to any contracts made by the Bear Dye Works from this date. Bear Dye Works, by BERT S. CROSLAND.

THERE IS A STEINWAY GRAND, USED, AT BARTLETT MUSIC CO., 231 S. Broadway, opposite City Hall. Can be bought for $475.

FOR SALE—$1.00 FORMULA GUARANTEED BEDBUG exterminator, cost 40 cents gallon, sells for $2.00 gallon. H. H. REICHARD, Tropico, Cal.

BETTER EARLY THAN LATE. Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

FOR QUICK ACTION DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL—AVOID THE RUSH on Saturday. Make a practice of phoning your Sunday ads to The Times on Friday, day or night. Collection for the service will be made at your home or office. Main 8200. Home 10391.

PERSONAL—PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON, the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 822 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—WANT THE ADDRESS OF E. R. WILkinson; just received my patent on a new truck; want you to handle it; big money for us both. Address F, box 150, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—REWARD FOR ANY ONE FURNISHING address of Mr. Alfred Barieau (or Bronko) from Honduras. Notify A. A. GILHOUSEN, 733 Central Bldg. F7279.

PERSONAL—YOUNG LADY GOING TO CHICAGO and Cleveland desires to transact business for fast expense. Address X, box 559, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

PERSONAL—FORMER BUSINESS ASSOCIATE OF G. A. Wettlin, formerly at 2836 S. Hoover st., would like to communicate with him. Address K, box 214, TIMES OFFICE.

PERSONAL—SUPERFLUOUS HAIRS PERMANENTly removed without pain or irritation. Guaranteed never to return. References given. 407 BUMILLER BLDG.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLoger and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles; largest practice, highest grade of work. High class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL—IT PAYS TO BUY OF THE BARTLETT Music Co., several used pianos at bargain prices, Steinway grand, Kimball, Autopiano, etc. 231 S. BROADWAY, opposite City Hall.

PERSONAL—HELP US SERVE YOU by telephoning your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

PERSONAL—MME. JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, readings 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—WANTED SIX LADIES TO TAKE free course in salesmanship, under competent instructor. Call 387 WILCOX BLDG.

PERSONAL — MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC, best 50c reading in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL— For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL— PROF. MURDOCK, The Master Mind of PSYCHICS. If you are worried and in doubt about your business, domestic or love affairs, consult PROF. MURDOCK, the acknowledged peer of all PSYCHICS. 50c—READINGS—50c. All business confidential. Maid in attendance. N.W. corner W. 54th st. and Seventh ave. Grand ave. car, marked Moneta drive. Hours 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Telephones Home 79435, Vermont 762.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

FOR SALE—7000 GRANGE, LEMON TREES, FIRST-class, 6 to 7 feet high, cheap; also all kinds of flower plants. ROSE NURSERY, 269 N. Ivy, Monrovia, Cal.

TREE DOCTOR—OAKS A SPECIALTY; ALL TREE diseases scientifically treated; Address TREE DOCTOR, 144 Kinney st., Ocean Park, Cal.

CHURCH NOTICES—
Liberal.

DIVINE HEALING— Daily, 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. EDWARD DECKER. Auspices First Spiritual Church Christ, 113 West Third street.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

NOTICE— CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED IN FROM ONE TO TWO LOADS, BY THE LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO. PHONE 59148. WILSHIRE 593. OFFICE 559 N. VERMONT AVE.

LAST MINUTE SERVICE is not always satisfactory. Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

BUSINESS LETTERS, TYPEWRITTEN 10 CENTS page. PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER, 705 Ferguson Building, Third and Hill.

AWNINGS, WINDOWS, $2; STORES, 65c FRONT foot. THE MAIN ST. AWNING SHOW, F4074.

WANTED—
Help Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED— POSITIONS OPEN.
Stenographer and general office assistant, under 30, $60.
Clothing salesman, familiar with San Joaquin Valley, $125 and commission.
Stenographer, some legal experience, $60, must be under 26.
Grocery salesman (retail) under 35, local experience, $100.
Stenographer and book-keeper (Jewish) $50 start, young man wanted.
Railroad statistical or interline clerk, under 30, $60.
Ledger clerk and book-keeper, 21-24 years of age, $50-$60.
Silk salesman for local department store, $75.
Fire insurance salesman and manager of department, man under 35, local experience necessary, $100.
Shoe salesman under 35, local experience, $65-$75.
Jewelry salesman and repair man for Arizona store, $90.
Registrations from accountants, book-keepers, salesmen, etc.
CAL. COML. SERVICE AGENCY, Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—
Man and wife, apartment-house ...$50 mo., Apt.
2 machinists, lathe ....35c hour
2 teamsters, Fresno ....$2 day
Ranch hand, North ....$40 month, board
Married milk-wagon driver..........$55 month, house
Married irrigator ....$50 to $55 month, house
Man and wife, ranch wife to cook..$45 mo., found
Man and wife, chauffeur, cook (call early)..$75 mo.
Cooks, waiters, dishwashers, bus boys, etc. Laborers. Teamsters for city, country. Call early. Office opened 7 a.m.
MURRAY & READY, 110 E. Second st.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, GOOD PENMAN, $60.
Stenographer and clerk, railroad office, $60.
Front office hotel clerk, young, $75.
Young book-keeper and stenographer, $65, $70.
A-1 book-keeper, speak and write German, $100.
Stenographer and biller, Arizona, $85.
Young office clerk and typist, $10, $12.
Well-dressed local collector, small salary.
These positions all open now. Apply PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., Agency, 418 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, $50 AND APTS.; houseman and maid; man and wife, $40 and apts.; janitor and maid; marker and checker for laundry, $50, room and board; bus boy, $30; night waiter, elevator boy, hydraulic license; milker, $30 found.
TOURIST EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 145 S. Spring st., Room 212.

WANTED—
2 machine miners, Nevada, $4. Apply HUMMEL BROS., Employment Agents, 116 E. Second st.

WANTED—COMMISSARY CLERK IN REPAIR gangs. Young, unmarried man, accustomed to camp life, who are honest and willing to work hard, speak Spanish, accurate at figures and write a good hand; will find permanent employment and excellent chances for advancement. WO, box 33, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JEWELERS, GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR bright young men with some experience in general repair work. Wages according to ability with good prospects for permanent position. State experience and give reference. Answer, E, box 243, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WASH MAN WHO HAS HAD LONG EXperience and is willing to hit the ball nine hours a day, handling large volume high-grade flat and finished work; this is a work shop and nothing but a good man can fill the bill. High salary to right man. POTTER LAUNDRY, Santa Barbara.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND GENERAL OFfice assistant under 30; need not have great speed in shorthand; exceptional opportunity with large corporation; call 8 a.m., $60. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. (Agency.)

WANTED—RAILROAD STATISTICAL OR REVISING clerk under 30. Recent experience necessary. $60-$65. Apply with clearances, 8 a.m. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, AGENCY, Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, ACTIVE YOUNG MEN, over 18, to prepare for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, $75 MONTHLY, WITH REGULAR PROMOTION TO $150. For successful coaching see MISS WILSON, 601 Roberts Bldg., Third and Main. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—FEW CAPABLE YOUNG MEN, OVER 18, to prepare for position in the RAILWAY MAIL SERVICE, $75 a month salary starting; rapid promotion. For successful coaching see MR. MURPHY, 629 Security Bldg. (See Inst. adv.)

WANTED—SINGLE MAN, CAPABLE OF HANDLING boys as a fatherly advisor. Must not drink, use tobacco or profane language. Possess tact and ability to develop boys. Will pay good salary to capable man. PHONE MAIN 1850. F4425.

WANTED—CARPET LAYER AND DRAPERY MAN of first-class ability, steady job, must be sober and industrious; answer in own handwriting, giving age, references, and state wages wanted. F. A. GUMMER, Stockton, Cal.

WANTED—MAN WITH THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE of butter and cheese making for dairy place; none but first class need apply; give phone number and state salary expected. Address TF, box 449, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE TRADE IN MOST reliable and complete school on Coast. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING (Established 1905.) 2110 W. Seventh st. Call and be convinced. Catalogue free. (See Instruction Course adv.)

WANTED—YOUNG MEN STOPPING AT MEDIUM-priced hotels to interview guests, work can be done during leisure hours; references required; state where you are stopping. Address PT, box 343, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WHOLESALE BAKERY driver, drive Ford machine; wages and commission to good man. Call TUCKER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. Second st.

WANTED—CHINESE CHEF, $21 WEEK, CHINESE second cook, $17.50 week; R.R. fare advanced; country. Call TUCKER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. Second st.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG MEN TO TIE FLAT work, one to check and one marker and sorter; two flat work washers. Apply NEW METHOD LAUNDRY, 411 East Sixth street.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO WRITE AND COLLECT life insurance, experience unnecessary, splendid chance for advancement. Call 10 to 12. 831 MARSH-STRONG BLDG.

WANTED—RELIABLE STUDENT TO WORK FOR room and board mornings, evenings and Saturdays, while attending Los Angeles Business College, 327 W. EIGHTH, at Hill.

WANTED—CONCRETE FOREMAN, ABOUT THREE weeks' work, out-of-town; state experience, references, wages wanted. Address F, box 19, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRESSER THAT CAN OPERATE HOFFman pressing machine, steady work. Call 101 W. EIGHTH.

WANTED—FORD DRIVER FOR JITNEY BUS, ON commission; married man preferred. Call 2 p.m., 1923 W. 23RD ST.

WANTED—FINISH CARPENTERS AT U. S. RADIO station, Lemon Grove, near San Diego. For particulars phone Los Angeles, A5908.

WANTED—AUTO TRIMMER AT ONCE; NO HIGH-priced man; good general hand. PARK'S LEATHER WORKS, 95 W. Union st., Pasadena.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SURVEYOR TO GO TO Randsburg and do 3 days' work for expenses. Address X, box 535, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BY CANADIAN, TUITION IN SPANISH by Spaniard, by mail. Reply in Spanish. Address VA, box 219, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE DRIVING AND repairing. Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. (See Instruction Course adv.)

WANTED—AMBITIOUS YOUNG MEN TO ASSIST IN mailing dept., half tuition rate for services. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE.

WANTED—LICENSED PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, middle-aged, for office work. Address D, box 40, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN WITH BICYCLES; GOOD, steady position. Apply WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO., 610 S. Spring st.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS ARCHITECTURAL draftsman; state experience and salary expected. Address POSTOFFICE BOX 104, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN TO INTERVIEW prospective guests of hotel; references required. Address PT, box 530, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— YOUNG MAN, 20-25 YEARS, LONG hand bill clerk, packing-house experience preferred; salary $12.50 to start. NO FEE. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 111 Merchants' Trust Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG STENOGRAPHER AND OFFICE clerk. Must be rapid, accurate typist and good penman. $60. Excellent opportunity. LYONS & BEAVIS, EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS, Investment Bldg.

WANTED—A STRONG BOY, 18 TO 21 YEARS OF age, to drive delivery wagon; must know city and come well recommended; must be able to connect gas ranges. Apply with references, JANTZEN-RAILSBACK COMPANY, 242 S. Broadway.

WANTED—FOR TEMPORARY JOB, ACTIVE WORKer, who understands gardening; no other need apply; wages, with or without board. Phone Hollywood 1867. 4633 VERMONT PLACE.

WANTED—YOU HAVE FRIENDS WHO NEED OR contemplate life and accident insurance. Cooperate with me and receive part profits. Address E, box 237, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG OUTSIDE SALESMAN, EXPERIenced in stationery and office supplies; no printing. $60. Advancement. LYONS & BEAVIS, EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS, Investment Bldg.

WANTED — CHANDELIER MAKER; MUST BE first-class and quick worker; no others need apply; steady job for the right man. Address Y, box 316, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, WILLING TO WORK, TO drive rent car. Address F, box 6, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC TO CARE for five auto trucks and four automobiles; must be first-class man and have own tools. Call ARCADIA 48.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILOR AT THE FASHION SHOP, 290 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—FORD MECHANIC. APPLY 1915 SOUTH LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—COOPER TO REPAIR KEGS AND BARrels. Apply 758 Turner st.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS YOUNG SHOE SALESMEN. 352 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COAT HELPER ON MEN'S coats. 460 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—TINNER AND PLUMBER. APPLY MASON & ROBERTSON, Gardena, Cal.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED— DISTRICT MANAGERS. Wanted throughout the United States to become manufacturer's agents; we furnish goods to you direct from factory, give you exclusive 5-year territory contract; you are your own boss, and it will not be much trouble for you to make a large income as goods have an enormous demand with over one hundred per cent. profit. You must be able to finance yourself both for expenses and goods. A personal interview will bring you in touch with a real money maker. Please write PT, box 521, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MANAGING PARTNER BY OWNER OF close-in family hotel doing a fine business, clearing $300 and over each month; must have some business tact and one thousand dollars; easy terms on balance; owner wishes to retire. This is an exceptional opportunity to step into a well paying business with very little capital. WIEDEMAN, 204 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED — EARN $100 WEEKLY MANAGING clean, legitimate mail order business. We furnish everything. Right party need not worry about capital. Splendid chance for intelligent, employed person to control independent business on profit-sharing basis, beginning in spare time, evenings at home. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N.Y.

WANTED — GOOD, INDUSTRIOUS MAN TO WORK in and help manage old-established, light manufacturing business. Will pay $150 monthly. Must be able to furnish $250 with his services, which will be amply secured. No previous experience necessary. Call rooms 516 and 515 LONG BEACH BANK BLDG., Long Beach, First and Pine sts.

WANTED—HAVE ONE OF THE PRETTIEST NEW and modern garages in this city, long lease, cheap rent. Already have 20 cars for storage; can take care of 20 more. $1000 required to purchase stock and you can clear $150 per month. See owner at AUTO CLUB OF AMERICA, 346 N. Hill st.

WANTED—YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED MAN TO take good position with bright future in old-established light manufacturing firm; pay $120 per month; no experience necessary; $500 cash required, which will be fully secured. Particulars call ROOM 411, Grosse Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

WANTED—REPRESENTATIVE FOR EXCLUSIVE territory this State to handle one of America's greatest inventions, big profit to you and no competition; about $300 will start you right. Address PT, box 545, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LIVE MAN FOR ESTABLISHED MANUfacturing business, located same place six years. $325 investment, pay $125 per month. Call 309 WEST THIRD STREET, room 216.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO RUN POOLROOM, EXperience unnecessary; $175 required. Call at 505½ S. MAIN, Room 2.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—
Cloak and suit saleslady under 35, $75 up.
Comptometer operator and general office assistant, $60.
Candy saleslady, under 30, neat appearance, $40.
Stenographer and file clerk, under 28, for small office, $50-$60.
Registrations from stenographers, book-keepers, etc.
CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, Brockman Bldg. Agency.

WANTED—
Cook, small cafeteria, country, $75; cook, small cafe, country, $40, room and board; marker and distributor, $16; polisher and finisher, $10; waitress, resort hotel, $25, room and board; lunch counter waitress, Arizona, $25, room and board; cook and general work, two adults, $25, room and board.
HUMMEL BROS & CO., Employment Agents, 116 East Second st.

WANTED—
WE SUPPLY THE BETTER CLASS OF HELP. BONDED SERVICE COMPANY, 317 Fay Bldg.
A-1 cook, $45; cook in a private boarding-house, $35; general work, go home nights, $30; 2 adults, general work, $40; 2 adults, general work plain cooking, $35; 3 adults, general work and plain cooking, $30; 5 general work and good plain cooking, $30; 10 others, good places, $25.

WANTED—ARM WAITRESS, $11 WEEK, IMPERial Valley; laundry forelady; man and wife, $50 and apartments, apartment-house; man and wife, $40 and apartments, apartment-house; arm waitress, $8 week, Catalina; ranch cook, $30, party here; cook for family or ranch, $30 found; delicatessen clerk, $45, no Sunday work.
TOURIST EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 145 S. Spring, Room 210.

WANTED— MOSS GLOVE COMPANY. Requires ten experienced glove saleswomen for their other new store at 613 SOUTH BROADWAY.

WANTED— HIGH-GRADE HELP ONLY. SECURITY EMPLOYMENT SERVICE, 316 S. Broadway. Good cook, city, references, no sewing, German preferred, no laundry, $40; young reliable girl, Arizona, $35; 22 places, city, good homes, $30 and $35; many other good positions.

WANTED— A-1 young lady typist. Must be neat appearing and experienced. Salary $50 per month. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 704-705 Haas Bldg.

WANTED— Neat appearing, experienced young lady Elliott-Fisher biller for good company in Pasadena. Salary $50 with advancement. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 704-705 Haas Bldg.

WANTED—FOR PERMANENT POSITION, STENOGrapher having legal experience. High school education. Salary $9 a week. Give telephone number and reference. Address F, box 122, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—3 GRADUATE NURSES, SURGICAL AND GENERAL DUTY, FOR HOSPITAL; ANSWER, GIVING AGE, HEIGHT AND PHONE. ADDRESS F, BOX 121, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SEVEN LADIES, BEAUTY CULTURE and hair manufacturing. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, world's largest, 227 Mercantile Place, at Broadway. See Learn Trade.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening. LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile place. Mrs. Harris. (See adv. "To Learn Trades.")

WANTED—FIVE YOUNG WOMEN TO FOLD CIRculars half hour daily in return for half tuition rate. Call before noon. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main at Ninth.

WANTED—STUDENTS, $10 MONTHLY, EVENINGS, $5. Board, room, tuition, can be earned. Catalogue free. Positions assured. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 906B S Main. See Instruction Adv.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED CHOCOLATE DIPPER for wholesale plant to work on piece work schedule; first class dipper can make from $10 to $12 per week. Address K, box 296, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN, WITH REFERences, for very light housekeeping for two ladies, 3-room apartment, $10 month. Address F, box 119, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—NURSE GIRL FOR ONE YEAR OLD boy, will be at beach all summer. $10 per month, room and board. Address K, box 150, TIMES OFFICE, giving phone number.

WANTED—A GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN FOR general housework and assist in care of children; pleasant surroundings. MRS. L. HARRIS, Lancaster, Cal.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED HIGH-grade cloak and suit saleswoman; several good permanent openings for capable people in this line. Apply at once. JACOBY BROS.

WANTED — A GOOD COOK, GENERAL, GOOD wages, small family. Telephone 53960, or 114 N. CORONADO ST.

WANTED—TWO MANGLE GIRLS, ONE TO SHAKE out clothes. Apply NEW METHOD LAUNDRY, 411 East Sixth st.

WANTED—MAID, LIGHT HOUSEWORK, ASSIST with two children. Must be excellent plain cook. RING 56583.

WANTED—BUSHELWOMAN, MUST BE EXPERIenced in custom work. Apply A. K. BRAUER & CO., 529 S. Spring st.

WANTED—MILLINERY APPRENTICE, GOOD OPportunity to learn business. MRS. WHITE, 219 S. Rita st., Huntington Park.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER'S HELPer. Apply 947 S. FLOWER.

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WANTED— COMMERCIAL DIVISION. Young woman between 20-25, book-keeper and cashier, retail store experience preferred. Must be of good appearance and neatly dressed. Salary $12-$15.

HOUSEHOLD DIVISION. Good looking waitresses, $8; first class seamstress, one who sews without pattern, $3 day; child's nurse, $35-$40; club cook, out of city, $35; hotel cook, out of town, $40; many places for good general houseworkers who can furnish references, $40 down.

PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, Commercial Division, 111 Merchants Trust Bldg. Household Division, 121 Merchants Trust Bldg.

WANTED—NEAT APPEARING, WELL DRESSED candy saleslady for good local store. Salary $10, $12. Call early. Experienced fire insurance stenographer, $12, fire insurance book-keeper and stenographer, $12; bookkeeper and receiving clerk, department store experience, $60. Apply PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., AGENCY, 418 Fay Bldg., Third and Hill sts.

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER AS ASSISTANT TO artist and writer, pleasant personality, artistic temperament, good physique, light work, beginner acceptable if otherwise qualified, salary depends but satisfactory. Give full particulars and salary expected. Address Y, box 318, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—FIVE EXPERIENCED SEAMSTRESSES, prefer middle-aged women who really need the work and understand power machines. Apply today, 9 o'clock, come ready for work. Fifth floor, Loewen Bldg., 822 Broadway. LA RUE COSTUME COMPANY.

WANTED—BY GENTLEMAN IN COUNTRY, MOTHer and daughter or two sisters for cook and second girl, including laundry work. Only those liking country need apply. L. FORNAM, Nordhoff, Cal.

WANTED—WOMAN TO KEEP HOUSE FOR MAN, wife and 12-year daughter, must be a good cook, a clean housekeeper and desirous of a good home more than wages. No laundry. $15 monthly. Address TF, box 454, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ALONE IN small flat, wishes kind old lady as companion, mother away most of time. No wages but good home to right party. 1409½ SOUTH FLOWER, rear apartment. Call personally.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAIST MAKER. TERRILL, 749 South Broadway.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY EXPERIENCED IN DELIcatessen department work, neat appearing sales person, with good references. Apply to H. T. QUIGLEY, at Jevnes, 208-210 South Spring st.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKER AND waistmaker at THE FASHION SHOP, 290 E. Colorado st., Pasadena.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MARKER AND DIStributor. Apply AMERICAN LAUNDRY CO., corner 11th and Los Angeles st.

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork, no washing. Call 579321 or apply 1950 TAMARIND AVE., Hollywood.

WANTED — GLENDALE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE wants girls for light housework. MRS. G. MILLS, Phone Sunset 242-W. Home Blue 257.

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY RELIABLE GIRL, washing, ironing and cooking. Must bring best of references. Good pay. CALL 579868.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO WORK IN BLUE print establishment. Call after 3 o'clock p.m., at 600 BYRNE BLDG.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS ON LADIES' SILK WAISTS, GOOD PAY. STEADY WORK. MAX MARKS, 754 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—GOOD COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework, wages $35. Call VERMONT 1921 mornings.

WANTED—SEVERAL GRADUATE NURSES HOSpital positions, $40; one children's nurse, $40. Call MAIN 8092, 10 a.m.

WANTED—A FINISHER ON MEN'S COATS. Apply 432 SOUTH MAIN ST., Room 31.

WANTED—AT ONCE, 2 FINISHERS ON LADIES' suits, also apprentices. 301 TITLE GUARANTEE BLDG. Fifth and Broadway.

WANTED—INTELLIGENT GIRL FOR LAUNDRY office, also experienced plain ironer. Apply CARLSON LAUNDRY, 710 West Third.

WANTED—NEAT YOUNG WHITE GIRL TO ASsist with housework, wages $15 per month. Phone GARVANZA 681.

WANTED—A WOMAN STARCHER FOR BISBEE, Arizona. Inquire 2069 AMERICAN AVE., Long Beach.

WANTED—MILLINERY MAKER. APPLY 688 S. ALVARADO.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE AS CHAUFFEUR AND housework, family of four, near Pasadena, $70, room and board. HENDERSON EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 313 W. Third st.

WANTED—SINGERS, DANCERS AND COMEDIANS, will listen to good amateurs. Ready to start on road Tuesday, March 28th. Call HOTEL VENDOME, 221 S. Hill st. Call for Mr. Yorke.

WANTED — WILL GIVE NICE HOUSEKEEPING rooms and small pay for help about apartment-house. 140 N. FLOWER.

WANTED—TEACHERS FOR SCHOOLS. ADDRESS D. T. BALDWIN, San Elizario, Texas.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing; student wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile place. Mrs. Harris.

WANTED—SEVEN LADIES, LEARN BEAUTY CULture. FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile Place.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Courses.)

WANTED—PASADENA SCHOOL FOR PRACTICAL NURSING, at 214 S. Lake ave. Complete course all nursing subjects. Refers by permission to leading Pasadena physicians. Registry. Superintendent of school.

WANTED — RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT in 20 lessons; write for booklet. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176, F5793.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN, Y.M.C.A. COMMERCIAL School cannot supply the demand for its graduates; excellent opportunities. Begin a course now. 715 S. HOPE ST.

WANTED—GOVERNMENT POSITIONS ARE EASY to get. My free booklet FG tells how. Write today. Now. EARL HOPKINS, 131 Marden Bldg., Washington, D. C.

WANTED—STUDENTS, $10 MONTHLY, EVENINGS $5. Board, room, tuition, can be earned. Catalogue free. Positions assured. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 906B S. Main.

WANTED— MOTION PICTURE ACTING taught at HOLLYWOOD PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave. Home 59162.

WANTED—LEARN AUTOMOBILE TRADE IN A real school, expert supervision; established 1905. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks, salary starting $75 month. MR. MURPHY, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED — YOUNG MEN, PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks. MISS WILSON, 601 Wesley Roberts Bldg.

WANTED—SEE Y.M.C.A. AUTO SCHOOL. GET started right. 731 S. HOPE.

WANTED—SALESMEN—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—CAPABLE REPRESENTATIVE TO SELL the COMBINATION LIFE, ACCIDENT and HEALTH policy, issued exclusively by the PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE—"Your Own Home Company." Organized 1868. Assets over $30,000,000. LIBERAL AGENCY CONTRACT. Call or address JOHN NEWTON RUSSELL, JR., Manager, Home Office Building Annex, Sixth and Olive sts.

WANTED—EARN $100 WEEKLY MANAGING clean legitimate mail order business. We furnish everything. Right party need not worry about capital. Splendid chance for intelligent, employed person to control independent business on profit-sharing basis, beginning in spare time, evenings at home. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED — ATTENTION, INDUSTRIAL LIFE agents. If you are interested in a proposition that will increase your income, yet not interfere with your present employment, call at 817 VAN NUYS BLDG., or Phone F6381 or Main 4486. All communications considered confidential.

WANTED—HURRY, HURRY, LIVE AGENTS GET this big winner, absolutely sell on sight, big profits, repeats, unlimited field, particulars free. J. LINDGREN CO., Dept. 4, Williams, Minn.

WANTED—SALESMEN, HOUSE TO HOUSE, SPEcial work. Only experienced parties need apply. Mention phone. Address TC, box 553, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — NEAT-APPEARING DEMONSTRATORS, male and female; who are capable solicitors; will give leads for big business. Call at once, 1004 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—FOUR SALESMEN TO SELL DIRECT TO the consumer, article in great demand. No competition. From $6 to $12 per day easily made. See MR. KRAMER, 1043 S. Hope st., 4 to 6 p.m.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SASH AND DOOR SOLICItors, good opening for experienced men with machine. Call BROADWAY 5472 or A4851.

WANTED—AGENTS, MONEY FOR YOU. CALL for samples, catalogues. 1535 KULLI ST., forenoons.

WANTED—6 EXPERIENCED LADY SOLICITORS for city work. Call 241 WINSTON ST.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED GROCERY CLERK, 8 years' experience, wishes steady employment with reliable firm. Phone BROADWAY 6036.

WANTED—POSITION, MAN EXPERIENCED IN machinery and conversant with office work, having been branch manager and superintendent of large contracting firm. Nine years' experience in Mexico. Accustomed making estimates. First class local references. Address F. W. G., 1322 VISTA ST., Hollywood.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, JAPANESE, AN EXPERT driver and mechanic, seven years' experience, familiar with Locomobile and Pierce cars; desires position with private family, where a reliable and trustworthy chauffeur will be appreciated. Best references. Address FRANK MAEDA, 325½ Commercial st. Phone F5977.

WANTED— Chauffeur position by Japanese; careful driver; expert mechanic; 8 years' experience in Simplex, Mercer and Marmon; know city and county roads very well; have best of city references. FRANK HARADA. F5083.

WANTED—POSITION, LIVE WIRE ON COLLECtions, artist at special sales of general merchandise stocks, turn your old goods into cash, your slow accounts into money; brimful of ideas gathered from Seattle to San Diego; go anywhere. Address E, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WITH GARAGE EXPERIence would like position driving private car or could do office work in connection with driving. BROADWAY 2593.

WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED RANCHER, MARried, care of ranch Southern California, understands gas engines and pumps; best of references. Steady and sober. Wages reasonable. 1563 W. 40TH ST. Phone 71442.

WANTED—DRIVER, AUTOMOBILE, WELL EXperienced young man, wants position in delivery service of some establishment needing service of honest, capable, intelligent man; good references. Address ED. KONRAD, 632 Y.M.C.A. Bldg.

WANTED—SITUATION BY CHAUFFEUR IN PRIvate family by good, clean American, 21 years old; practical machinist and understands car and can take care of same; main object good home and treatment; will start moderate salary. Address Y, box 304, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS MARKER and distributor; married man, 18 years' experience; country preferred. L. A. CLARK, San Gabriel, Cal. R.F.D., No. 2.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG KOREAN IN PRIvate family, wait on table or second work, go anywhere, many years' experience, wages $30 up. Address F, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A FIRST-CLASS BOOK-keeper, not afraid of hard work, can operate typewriter. Local references, salary moderate. Address V, box 433, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY COMPETENT EXPERIenced orchardist, reliable and trustworthy, or care of small home place. GEO. N. SOULES, 527 San Julian st., city.

WANTED—POSITION BY COLORED MAN, JANItor, or porter work, understands oil burners, good mechanical knowledge. Address X, box 479, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, 15 YEARS EXPERIence, makes specialty keeping books daily, weekly or monthly. Extremely reasonable charges. Address V. A., box 218, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS JAPANESE BOY COOK wants job, speaks good English, wages $45 and up. 6400 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood. Phone Home 57297. Sunset Phone, Hollywood 835. N. BEN.

WANTED—YOUNG KOREAN CHAUFFEUR WANTS position. Moderate wage, no objection domestic work. Reference. Address D. C. KIM, 2 Olive Court.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR BY SOBER, experienced, well-educated young man; references furnished. GLENN BEAN, New Broadway Hotel.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION, SOBER, reliable, last exp. Pope-Hartford pleasure car, one year; a gold. Address F, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PROFESSIONAL CHAUFFEUR SEEKS employment in well to do family. Excellent references. Address E, box 227, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSITION WITH private family, have good references. Address E, box 224, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—KOREAN STUDENT WANTS POSITION schoolboy. Address YOUNG SING KANG, 2 Olive Court.

WANTED—COLORED CHAUFFEUR WISHES POsition; 5 years last place. Best reference. SOUTH 4804W.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, JAPANESE, 6 YEARS' EXperience, careful driver; wages to suit the party. KITASHIMA F6800.

WANTED — STUDENT WILL WORK BEFORE, after school and Saturdays for board and room only. Call MANAGER, Main 4796, F5193.

WANTED—NEW LAWNS PUT IN, CARED FOR, BY contract; housecleaning; Japanese gardener, experienced. HOME 71314.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN (24) WOULD LIKE ONE or two hours' work in evening for board and room or meals without room. Address E, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — CHAUFFEUR, 24, WISHES EMPLOYment in private family, city or country; five years' experience, best of references. Address E, box 186, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERT BEE MAN WANTS POSITION tending bees in large apiary. JOHN NIPPERT, 533 Towne ave., Los Angeles.

WANTED—JAPANESE GARDENER, GUARANTEED, work day, week, month. Home 74270. 1028 S. BERENDO ST.

WANTED—RELIABLE YOUNG MAN (22) GOOD worker, wants position as shipping clerk. Address E, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE COLORED MAN WANTS janitor or porter work, can run high hydraulic or electric elevator; good worker. WILSHIRE 3742.

WANTED—BY MARRIED MAN, POSITION ON dairy ranch, experienced milker. Address F, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GARDENER, EXPERIENCED, MILKER, handy man, city reference. Address E, box 241, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WORK AS AGENT OR COLLECTOR, OR other business where machine is necessary, own my car. Address E, box 251, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, ATTENDANT OR VALET to invalid; trustworthy, sober; no smoker. 205. F5616.

WANTED — JAPANESE STUDENT WISHES SITUation as schoolboy, good cook, waiter, F6868.

WANTED—MILKER WANTS STEADY POSITION. Address D, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS JAPANESE COOK WANTS job in small family. TONE, phone F5718.

WANTED—A POSITION AFTER 3 P.M., GOOD experienced cook. ROY IKEDA, 225 Boyd st.

WANTED—PIANIST FOR MOVING PICTURE OR other work. 703 Delta. A1985. MORE.

WANTED—BAKER FOREMAN, FIRST-CLASS BREAD or cake. Address D, box 300, TIMES OFFICE.

EMPLOYMENT—
Agencies.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COLORED HELP. We furnish reliable colored help such as cooks, waiters, waitresses, ladies' maids, house maids, laundresses, chauffeurs, porters, butlers, laborers, teamsters, etc. CENTRAL AVE. EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 1013½ Central ave. Suite No. 8. Phones: Home 25848. Sunset: Broadway 7270.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC JAPANESE A. A. A. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 445 S. OLIVE ST., LOS ANGELES. PHONES: F1078. MAIN 1714.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—TWO GERMAN SISTERS WOULD LIKE position together as first and second maids; are experienced; will give references, and good wages expected. Prefer place in Hollywood. Call HOLLY 720; HOME phone 590463.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED REFINED WIDOW wants position as companion and helper to lady alone, or elderly couple, best of references. Address Y, box 3046 MOSS AVE., city. West 1701.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER and stenographer desires a position where efforts will count; salary secondary consideration; references. Address V, box 434, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO GIRLS AGES 20 AND 25, WANT position together in country or city as child's nurse or upstairs work; cook or downstairs work, respectively. Address 611 STERLING PLACE, South Pasadena. Phone Colorado 5239.

WANTED—A PLACE WHERE WORK IS DONE IN a plain way. Prefer house full of children, wages $20, country only. Address Room 4, 1040 LINCOLN ST., Los Angeles.

WANTED — PRACTICAL NURSE WANTS WORK, nervous mental cases a specialty, best references, wages reasonable. Address X, box 544, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — HOUSEKEEPER, MIDDLE-AGED, wishes position for man with small family, or people who are employed. Address F, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LIGHT HOUSEHOLD DUTIES IN HOME of refinement (where there are no children) for room, board, use of piano, car fare. Address X, box 505, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATIONS BY GOOD COOK, HOUSE-maids, cafeteria, hotel and nurses help. BRADSTREET EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 21012, South 5738-J.

WANTED—POSITION AT ONCE, RANCH OR CITY, no objection to Imperial Valley, good wages. JOSIE BEAN (colored.) 1043½ Denver ave, Los Angeles.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY MIDDLE-AGED LADY, as lady's companion or nurse. Address MRS. BATCHELOR, R.F.D. No. 1, box 143, Hughson, Cal.

WANTED — STRONG, ACTIVE WOMAN WANTS general housework or take charge rooming-house; will leave city. Address Y, box 320, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED NURSE; references. Phone Main 3104 or 65697 for NURSE, room 124.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WISHES POSITION as chambermaid in rooming house. Phone BOYLE 4255.

WANTED — BY YOUNG COLORED WOMAN, GENeral housework; city reference; all or part of day. BROADWAY 2829.

WANTED — TRUSTWORTHY ELDERLY LADY wishes position as housekeeper. Address Box 615, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—ARTISTIC DRESSMAKER AND DESIGNer, goes out by day. Latest fashions. HOTEL ALHAMBRA, Broadway 666, Room 517.

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

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WANTED—STYLISH SUITS, GOWNS, ALTERATIONS, work guaranteed. $2.25 day or home. 53612; WILSHIRE 1865.

WANTED—POSITION, HOUSEKEEPER BY REFINed lady, German descent; prefer with adults. PHONES 20134. BROADWAY 4863.

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY OF REFINEMENT, fond of children, as child's nurse or assistant in home. Address box 613, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—PIANIST AND VIOLINIST WISH DANCE work; good music; reasonable price. PHONE 556546.

WANTED—WIDOW WANTS POSITION AS HOUSEkeeper for elderly gentleman. Address box 223, CUCAMONGA, Cal.

WANTED — COMPETENT SWEDISH COOK, WITH best references, wishes position in private family. Phone BROADWAY 3926.

WANTED — DRESSES, SUITS, HATS MADE AT your home, $3 a day; city references. TELEPHONE 41069.

WANTED — POSITION AS LADY PIANIST FOR movie show; experienced. Can play dances. PHONE 556546.

WANTED—COOKING AND GENERAL HOUSEWORK, by German girl where first-class service is appreciated; city reference, $40. MAIN 1055. F5136.

WANTED—AMERICAN LADY WITH LITTLE GIRL 2½ years old wishes position as housekeeper, good home more than wages. Phone SOUTH 1026J.

WANTED—REFINED WOMAN REQUIRES WORK by the week; boarding or apartment-house. PHONE 22328.

WANTED—COLORED WOMAN WANTS HALF DAY work, regularly. WILSHIRE 5860.

WANTED—BY NORWEGIAN GIRL, UPSTAIRS work, or as maid. Good reference. Phone MAIN 4208.

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED GERMAN, POSITION as working foreman on alfalfa or fruit ranch; long California experience, (1 child of school age.) Handy with electric pump; wife will board men. Address F, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COLORED MAN AND WIFE WANT POsition in apartment house, man as butler, wife cook; will go out of town anywhere; good reference. SOUTH 4481.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE (SPANISH) WISH ranch work, wife to cook. Address J. ANORGA, 453 Aliso st., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE REQUIRE POSITION, cook and waitress or chambermaid in hotel, or boarding-house. MRS. WOLFE, Phone 22328.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE FOR RANCH WORK, no children. Phone F1915 or call 505½ S. Main. F. G. WATTS.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—GERMAN WOMAN WANTS WORK BY the day, washing, ironing, housework. HOME PHONE 41598.

WANTED—BY GERMAN WOMAN LAUNDRY OR other work by the day. Good worker. BROADWAY 7745.

WANTED—DAY WORK, FIRST CLASS WORK, cleaning, etc., by young German woman. Phone morning and evenings. VERMONT 4022.

WANTED—GERMAN WOMAN, VERY GOOD WORKer, wants washing, ironing, house cleaning. Good references. 41274; BOYLE 614.

WANTED—WHITE WOMAN WANTS ANY KIND OF day's work. F1126.

WANTED—WORK BY DAY, HOUSE CLEANING and washing. Phone MAIN 4368, Apartment 6.

WANTED—A COLORED WOMAN WANTS DAY work. BROADWAY 3420.

WANTED—CARPENTERING—
Painting, Paper Hanging, Tinting.

WANTED—INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, tinting. We specialize on rust-proofing, renovating and installing screens. References of largest apartment houses and hotels in city. MAIN 947, F7665.

WANTED—H. EPSTEIN, GENERAL CONTRACTOR, all kinds jobbing and furniture repairing; work guaranteed; reasonable prices. 532 W. TEMPLE. Phones A3527, Main 9428.

WANTED—TINTING, ALL STAINS, GUARANTEED killed; rooms, $1.50 and up. JAS. HUDSON, 5000 S. Normandie.

WANTED—TO PAY FOR LARGE JOB PAINTING, tinting and carpenter work, with rent in first-class apartment. MAIN 5050.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGING, best material, best workmen; work guaranteed. GOODWIN, 61186; Main 2462. 420 W. 8th.

WANTED—PAINTER, LOOKING FOR PAINTING and tinting job, will contract, reasonable price; good references. PHONE 41951.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, $1 PER ROOM; papering, $1.50 per room. Work guaranteed. Phone SOUTH 1502.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERING; GOOD work guaranteed. BROADWAY 997.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $5000 TO JOIN ME IN developing copper property. Have 15 to 20 tons of 15 per cent. copper out on dump. Everything necessary on the ground to work with. Am now working eight men. Have 15 claims of fine copper showing liberal terms to the right parties. Address P. O. BOX 257, Mesa, Ariz.

WANTED — LIVE PARTNER, MORTGAGE LOAN business, established seven years; small investment; too much business one person; references exchanged. Address EX, box 451, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH INVESTMENT OF $500 can draw good weekly salary and own interest in business, inside work, easy to learn, answer. Address X, box 553, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LIVE YOUNG MAN WITH $200 TO take interest in established paying business with a future. Address X, box 524, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER IN WELL-ESTABLISHED canning business. Need service of good man in charge. Will bear close investigation. No triflers need apply. Strictly business. 521 E. 9TH ST.

WANTED—PARTY THAT WILL INVEST $5000 IN an established business that shows returns. T. G. McCAIN, 624½ E. 48th st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT. Nine-room house, four bedrooms and sleeping porch, furnace, garage, good condition, nice yard, within five blocks of 24th st. school. Will lease for two years. Have client waiting. R. C. MITCHELL COMPANY, 614 Trust and Savings Bldg. 60817. Broadway 978.

WANTED—LADY EMPLOYED AT FIRST AND Main, wants unfurnished cottage or apartment. Must be clean, quiet and convenient to car line. Address F, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT BY MAN AND WIFE, SMALL house or flat in Westlake district, rent must be reasonable, references. Address F, box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOUSES, FLATS, STORES TO RENT. WE have applicants waiting. Call Bennett, Rental Dept. 60191. K. LUNDEEN COMPANY, Main 4823. Second floor, Central Bldg., Sixth and Main.

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—ROOM WITH KITCHENETTE, PRIVATE bath, separate entrance, furnished or unfurnished; 3 blocks of Sixth and Broadway, by gentleman. Address Y, box 319, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED — ROOM AND BOARD, YOUNG MAN, American, wants nice room in congenial private house; no other roomers, and will appreciate good cooking, give details; steady. Address Y, box 309, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD HOME FOR TWIN BABIES, 2 years of age; until mother is able to take care of them. Address LF, box 592, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—I AM ON THE MARKET FOR WELL-built, well-located 10 to 12-room residence, Wilshire or W. Adams district, for home. 501 WASHINGTON.

WANTED—
Real Estate for Cash.

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WANTED—TO PURCHASE FOR CASH. Lots suitable for flat buildings or bungalow court. Cheap building lots in Los Angeles. Only absolutely sacrifice prices considered. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Main 3333.

WANTED—I WILL GIVE $500 TO $1250 CASH FOR lot in the southwest, west or northwest part of the city; I am not an agent; I charge no commission, and will make you a quick cash offer if you will sacrifice. WALTER FRANKLIN, 238 Bradbury Bldg. 65689. Main 1647.

WANTED—WE WILL PAY CASH FOR YOUR VAcant lot if price is right, or we will furnish plans and money and build for you, if the lot is clear or nearly paid for. WESTON. Main 2646.

WANTED—
TO Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED—SMALLER PLACE; HAVE 9 ROOMS, good lot, West 23rd st., clear. FOWLER, 23586.

WANTED—YOUR PROPERTY FOR SALE OR EXchange, can sell or match anything. J. A. CRAIG, 814 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

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TO Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED—CHOICE VACANT [illegible] part payment for new 6-[illegible] corner in the heart of the W[illegible] ing in white plaster with [illegible] mahogany and enamel. [illegible] sleeping rooms, gas ranges, [illegible] vacuum cleaner, all flats are [illegible] nent tenants. Pays 10 per [illegible] subject to $16,000 at 6½ per [illegible] SON, owner, 100 Fremont place. [illegible]

WANTED—INCOME FLATS [illegible] of Figueroa street. Will give [illegible] lots in Santa Monica, [illegible] property $5000. 120 feet [illegible] $6000, clear, and my [illegible] home worth $8500, subject to [illegible] and assume the same [illegible] value and yours must be [illegible] etc. No agents. Address X, box [illegible] BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WHO HAS A NICE [illegible] bungalow, cash value $[illegible] choice West Eighth st. lot, [illegible] $3000 and $1250 cash. [illegible] larger lot, fruit trees, etc. [illegible] Must have quick action. [illegible] 740½ S. Figueroa.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE REAL [illegible] or exchange come in and [illegible] clients who want income, [illegible] ness property. WE GET [illegible] COX, with SUN REALTY CO., [illegible] F1334.

WANTED—INDUSTRIAL, [illegible] for one of the best Wilshire [illegible] and elegantly furnished; [illegible] $12,000; will assume. [illegible] L. CORNISH CO., 1116 Van Nuys [illegible] M. 3490.

WANTED—SANTA ANA ACREAGE, [illegible] nuts, for beautiful foothill Hollywood [illegible] value $8000, clear; prefer [illegible] assume $2000; quick deal. [illegible] LEY, 740½ S. Figueroa st.

WANTED—CLEAR LOTS OR [illegible] as first payment on my new [illegible] shire residence, balance [illegible] 2½ years. TRUITT, 1215 W. [illegible] 53161.

WANTED — APARTMENT-HOUSE [illegible] leased, or good orange or [illegible] will give $30,000 clear lots and [illegible] FRANK W. CAIN, F1144. 418 Delta Bldg.

WANTED—ANTELOPE VALLEY, [illegible] west of Lancaster, not [illegible] Give good L. A. industrial and [illegible] SHUTES, 317 Grant Bldg. A1584.

WANTED—TO BUY LOTS TO ABOUT [illegible] give cash or assume and [illegible] home near Washington and [illegible] 10525; Main 60.

WANTED—MODERN HOUSE, [illegible] auto, $1500, close in, west; [illegible] cottage, $1900, Tropico, paved [illegible] quick. Owner, 1311 S. UNION.

WANTED—
To Purchase Miscellaneous.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY. Any quantity. [illegible] Plenty of ready cash at your [illegible] Private. J. C. FERGUSON, 204 Homer Laughlin Bldg. [illegible]

WANTED—DIAMONDS, OLD GOLD, [illegible] silver; we pay highest cash [illegible] amount of diamonds, etc. Come [illegible] fore selling elsewhere. Private. [illegible] JEWELRY CO., 308 W. Seventh st.

WANTED—FOR CASH, DIAMONDS, [illegible] elry, silverware, furs, typewriters, [illegible] table. MARKWELL & CO., 309 [illegible]

WANTED—TO PURCHASE OLD GOLD, [illegible] precious stones, antiques, etc. [illegible] 758 S. Hill st.

WANTED—TO BUY 4 OR 6-[illegible] any amount up to 1000 feet; [illegible] and quantity. C. C. COLTEAR, [illegible]

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL [illegible] fashioned jewelry, silverware, [illegible] old gold. 614 W. SIXTH ST., [illegible]

WANTED—GOOD, SOUND DELIVERY [illegible] cery store. 2220 GRAND AVE., [illegible] delivery car. Call 28280.

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT. [illegible] where to make cash offer. [illegible] SHOP, 518 South Hill, Main [illegible]

WANTED—BOOKS BOUGHT. Highest prices paid. STRATFORD [illegible] 642-644 S. Main st. Main [illegible]

WANTED—TO BUY 4-FT. ROLL-TOP [illegible] flaty. Phone HOLLY 560, [illegible]

WANTED—MEN'S SUITS, $3 TO $8 [illegible] Will call for. A3302. MAIN [illegible]

WANTED—CASH PAID FOR [illegible] SAN PEDRO ST. Main 1166.

WANTED—
Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FINE [illegible] street and dinner costumes, [illegible] SCHLANK, 1570 Sunset Blvd. [illegible] 5087.

WANTED—AVOID THE [illegible] on The Times' telephone [illegible] phoning your Sunday ads Friday or early day.

WANTED—ABOUT ONE CARAT [illegible] gain. Address 1622 E. [illegible] Phone Colorado 1611.

WANTED— For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The location of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

WANTED—
Discarded Clothes.

WANTED—POSITIVELY THE [illegible] paid for used clothing, [illegible] cific Coast. Will call anywhere, [illegible] EDELMAN & CO., 553 [illegible] 4685.

WANTED—TOP PRICES FOR [illegible] dies' clothing, evening [illegible] Coast Largest Dealer. We call [illegible] 508½ S. Spring. 218 W. First. [illegible]

WANTED—MEN'S USED SUITS, [illegible] what we pay; also buy [illegible] guns; will call anywhere, any time. [illegible]

WANTED—MEN'S USED CLOTHING, [illegible] will call for. A5302. Main [illegible]

WANTED—
Furniture.

WANTED — WE PAY CASH FOR ALL [illegible] furniture, merchandise, etc.; [illegible] also sell on commission and [illegible] signments. A trial will [illegible] the largest, best equipped and [illegible] in the State. REED & [illegible] 1053-1055 S. Main st., at 11th. [illegible] way 2860. Home F5343.

WANTED — WILL PAY [illegible] amount furniture or [illegible] restaurant outfits and [illegible] first. Must have the [illegible] N. Spring st. F3449. [illegible]

WANTED—TO PURCHASE [illegible] ture from private house [illegible] dena, Alhambra, 8 to 12 rooms. [illegible] TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — ALL KINDS OF [illegible] rooming-houses, will pay [illegible] to ship out. SOUTH [illegible]

WANTED—FURNITURE, [illegible] cash. ANTHONY LIGGUORI, [illegible] F5624. Broadway 925.

WANTED—FURNITURE AT [illegible] prices paid; also office furniture. [illegible] WAY 377. A5286.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE [illegible] for cash, 5 or 6 rooms [illegible] condition. MAIN 556, 61652.

WANTED—AM FURNISHING [illegible] buy entire house or single [illegible] 4084; 23853.

WANTED—HIGHEST CASH [illegible] niture, household goods, [illegible] rant outfits. Store fixtures. [illegible]

WANTED—GOOD FURNITURE [illegible] room house. Will pay [illegible] small quantity. PHONE [illegible]

WANTED—TO BUY FURNISHINGS [illegible] flat or house, will [illegible] box 545, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTY DESIRES TO [illegible] more rooms of furniture. [illegible]

WANTED—WE PAY CASH FOR [illegible] furniture, restaurant outfits [illegible] See us before selling. F1804. [illegible]

WANTED—YES, WE PAY [illegible] furniture. Try us. MAIN [illegible]

WANTED—WE PAY THE [illegible] ture, rugs, office desks. [illegible]

TO LET—
Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—NICE LARGE [illegible] small room, suitable [illegible] All conveniences, very [illegible] 1546.

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY, [illegible] front room, board if [illegible] piano, phone, walking [illegible] Pico car.

TO LET—NICEST ROOMS [illegible] the city, newly renovated, [illegible] the Courthouse, [illegible] Private family at 901 N. [illegible]

TO LET—HOTEL TORONTO, [illegible] 627 S. Olive st. [illegible] rooms, hot and cold [illegible] Under new management.

TO LET — ROOMS, $2 UP, [illegible] front, one light [illegible] minutes from Hamburger's store, [illegible] 949 S. BROADWAY.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL [illegible] race. Includes [illegible] MORE. 703 Delta Bldg. [illegible]

TO LET—NICE, CLEAN, [illegible] $1.50 week up; [illegible] S. BUNKER HILL.

TO LET—NICE LARGE [illegible] family, no other [illegible] reasonable. 20805.

Classified Liners.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—NEW HOTEL IMPERIAL, 322 S. Grand, at Ninth. MODERATE PRICED DOWNTOWN HOTEL. 100 ROOMS OF SOLID COMFORT. PRIVATE SHOWERS OR TUB BATHS. $1 per day and up with private bath. [illegible] per week and up with private bath. [illegible] BLOCKS TO SHOPPING THEATER DISTRICT. Rooms new, light and airy; phones, closets, [illegible] furniture, writing desks all rooms. [illegible] Sunset Broadway 4764; Home 60198. [illegible] SELBY HANAFORD, MANAGER.

TO LET—SINGLE OR DOUBLE ROOMS, $1, $1.25, [illegible] 2 and 4-room apartments, $2, $2.25 [illegible] week; baths; all outside rooms, good [illegible] big lobby; congenial landlord, [illegible] HOTEL INGLEWOOD, Inglewood. [illegible]

TO LET—NEW ROSSGROVE HOTEL— [illegible] furnished, sunny, all outside rooms, [illegible] private bath and showers, steam [illegible] lobby, ideal location, only 3 [illegible] to Central Park. Moderate prices. 532 S. [illegible]

TO LET—WAVERLY HOTEL, 1250 S. OLIVE, near PICO. [illegible] building, 70 rooms, strictly modern. [illegible] heat, elevator service, private phones. [illegible] outside rooms, with or without baths. Rates $3 per week and up.

TO LET—WILL SHARE HANDSOME WELL FURNISHED [illegible] with refined couple or two gentlemen; [illegible] privileges private bath, piano, modern [illegible] beautiful Wilshire location. Address [illegible] box 421, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LET—WHY NOT STOP AT THE HOTEL REX? [illegible] modern convenience, low rates, $2 to $3.50 per week, 50c per day. [illegible] WEST SECOND, at Broadway.

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY FROM ABROAD [illegible] rent one or two rooms, own home, in[illegible] speaking Spanish, German, French or English. [illegible] PHONE 25676.

TO LET—NICE FURNISHED ROOM TO MIDDLE-AGED lady for light services and care of 3-year-old [illegible] German or Irish Catholic. Call 1256 [illegible] ST., Hollywood. Colegrove car.

TO LET—CLEAN COMFORTABLE SLEEPING [illegible] $1.50 per week up. Second block from [illegible] 412 TEMPLE ST.

TO LET—HOTEL VAL DEMAR, 609 S. HOPE ST. [illegible] $3.50 week up; private bath, $4.50 week.

TO LET—OTTAWA APTS., LIGHT WELL FURNISHED [illegible] with running water. $2. 739 OTTAWA, between 10th and 11th, off Figueroa. 52108.

TO LET—CLEAN SLEEPING PORCH EFFECT [illegible] shower bath, every home comfort. [illegible]

TO LET—HOTEL SAVOY, 137 S. BROADWAY, [illegible] hot water every day, $1.50 per week.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOM IN PRIVATE [illegible] Wilshire district, suitable for two; gentlemen preferred. Phone WILSHIRE 6181.

TO LET—HOTEL MERCER. [illegible] BUILDING. PRIVATE PHONE, BATH [illegible] $4 WEEK. 1347 S. HILL. MAIN 6012.

TO LET—BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED FRONT [illegible] week, housekeeping privileges; block [illegible] Park. 2521 W. SIXTH. Wilshire 5388.

TO LET—MOORE-CLIFF, 121 S. HILL ST. MODERN. $2.50 week; $4.50 with bath.

TO LET—COOL, CLEAN ROOMS; ONE WITH [illegible] $2 and $3 a week. 512 W. SECOND ST.

TO LET—HOTEL ALAN, 226 EAST SECOND. [illegible] modern. Nice lobby. $2 per week.

TO LET— Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET—TWO LARGE, SUNNY AND AIRY, UNFURNISHED rooms and kitchenette. $10. Walking distance. [illegible] S. HOPE.

TO LET— Housekeeping Rooms, Furnished and Unfurnished.

TO LET—VERY DIFFERENT. THIS IS NOT A [illegible] rooming house, one of the beautiful homes [illegible] extensive grounds with wealth [illegible] flowers and palms, 16-room house, 4 [illegible] rooms with and without [illegible] $4 to $5 per week. Everything furnished [illegible] view of Mt. Wilson. The surroundings [illegible] dream, 12 minutes to downtown. [illegible] one large double room, private [illegible] 950 W. WASHINGTON.

TO LET—WILL SHARE NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] bungalow, shrubbery, linen, china, cut [illegible] machine, etc., to one or two ladies, [illegible] 2979 DALTON, or phone Vermont [illegible]

TO LET—CLOSE IN, TWO CLEAN LIGHT AIRY housekeeping front rooms, neatly furnished, electricity, phone, bath, hot and cold water. [illegible] W. 11TH.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] $15 to $3 per week. Also sleeping [illegible] 1012 S. HOPE.

TO LET—$18, FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, [illegible] sleeping porch, electricity, bath. 824 [illegible]

TO LET—TWO FINE LARGE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $12; also one single housekeeping room. All fine sunny airy rooms, walking [illegible] S. HOPE.

TO LET—[illegible] MONTH, CLEAN, HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] furnished and unfurnished. 548 EAST [illegible]

TO LET—NICE SUNNY FURNISHED [illegible] rooms, reasonable, and single rooms. [illegible] FIGUEROA.

TO LET— Unfurnished Flats.

TO LET—UNFURNISHED— UNFURNISHED. HOUSES—BUNGALOWS—FLATS. ANYWHERE—ANY SIZE—ANY PRICE. OVER 2000 TO SELECT FROM. MANY BRAND NEW. THE COMBINED LISTINGS OF 60 AGENTS. FREE GUIDE BOOK TO CITY AND SUBURBS. BARKER BROS. BUREAU. FREE RENTAL INFORMATION. MAIN FLOOR, 724 S. BROADWAY.

TO LET—UPPER AND LOWER SOUTH. JUST COMPLETED, beautiful high-class 4-room flats, [illegible] neighborhood. Real living rooms, [illegible] dressing rooms, hardwood [illegible] bookcases, desk, buffet, latest [illegible] heaters, porches, garage. [illegible] and 18th st. car lines. 1550 FIFTH [illegible]

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL LOWER FLAT WITH IN[illegible] sleeping porch in fashionable Wilshire [illegible] corner of Eighth and New [illegible] Ninth st. car. Large, beautiful [illegible] white tiled drainboard in kitchen, [illegible] with shower, vacuum cleaner, etc. [illegible] W. EIGHTH.

TO LET— WESTLAKE DISTRICT. [illegible] one 5-room flat in beautiful "Chats[illegible]" Artistically papered and decorated [illegible] in every detail. W. Ninth st. car. [illegible] VIEW ST.

TO LET—3 AND 6-ROOM FLATS; FINE FINISH, [illegible] private bath, running hot water, [illegible] cleaner, janitor; close in; good [illegible] Crown Hill car to Boylston, one [illegible] W. FOURTH.

TO LET—[illegible] MINUTES' WALK FROM TIMES BLDG., [illegible] unfurnished flat, $22.50, or partly [illegible] all large, outside rooms, very convenient [illegible] N. Hill st., opposite High School. [illegible] Lowest rent in city. M. E. [illegible]

TO LET—UP-TO-DATE MODERN 5-ROOM, LOWER [illegible] porch, two disappearing beds; [illegible] West Adams way. To careful [illegible] Lawn cared for, water paid. SEVIER, [illegible] Trust Bldg.

TO LET—4 AND 5-ROOM FLATS; PORCELAIN [illegible] electric lights, gas ranges, in a high [illegible] near Courthouse; rent $12 to $18. [illegible] Phone A2734. HUBBELL INVESTMENT [illegible] 502 Bullard Block.

TO LET—TWO THREE-ROOM FLATS, ALL BUILT-IN [illegible] most pleasant flats in city. 1853-[illegible] Twenty-fifth street; rent $20. See [illegible] Merchants Trust Bldg. Phones: [illegible] Main 6103.

TO LET—TWO FLATS, 4 ROOMS AND BATH, 3 [illegible] closets, wall beds, built-in desk and [illegible] $25. Apply 2236 CAM[illegible] near Oxford.

TO LET—RENT REDUCED FROM $30 TO [illegible] modern 6-room flat, centrally located [illegible] Park, select neighborhood. 3940 S. [illegible]

TO LET—$25, 4-ROOM LOWER FLAT IN TWO [illegible] walking distance, all outside sunny [illegible] and back yard. 905 W. 11th st. N. [illegible] Byrne Bldg. Phone 52886.

TO LET—NEW SUNNY 6-ROOM FLAT, UPSTAIRS [illegible] hardwood floors, large rooms, [illegible] half block from Vermont [illegible] Call 1464 W. 27TH ST.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL MODERN 4-ROOM FLAT, [illegible] GROVE. 5282½ PASADENA [illegible]

TO LET—FOUR ROOMS, TWO BUILT-IN BEDS, [illegible] sleeping porch, garage. PHONE [illegible] W. First.

TO LET—WESTMORELAND DISTRICT, ELEGANT, [illegible] location; range; reasonable. [illegible]

TO LET—ATTRACTIVE NEW SUNNY 6-ROOM UPPER, suitable for one [illegible] neighborhood, reasonable, [illegible] Adams st.

TO LET—FINE UPPER 4-ROOM BRICK; TWO [illegible] garage. 1372 W. 29TH.

TO LET—6-ROOM FLAT, 6-ROOM FLAT, SUIT[illegible] walking distance. 720 W. [illegible]

TO LET—NICE UPPER FLAT, 5 ROOMS. FINE [illegible] ARAPAHOE ST. Phone Wilshire [illegible]

TO LET—CLOSE IN 4-ROOM FLAT, $20. 408 S. [illegible]

TO LET—CLOSE IN, 3-ROOM FLAT, $10. 214½ [illegible]

TO LET—4-ROOM UPPER FLAT. 1624½ [illegible]

TO LET—4-ROOM FLAT, FRONT AND BACK [illegible] W. 27TH ST. Call South 6729-R.

TO LET— Furnished Flats.

TO LET—WELL FURNISHED FLAT, BUILT-IN [illegible] disappearing bed, with or without [illegible] seen to be appreciated. Call [illegible] ST., Pico Heights.

TO LET—4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, [illegible] 1352 E. WASHINGTON ST.

TO LET—AN UPPER FLAT, ATTRACTIVELY FURNISHED, 3 rooms, 2 beds and private bath, reduced to $32.50 per month. Inquire at 1115 W. 18TH ST. Phone West 1656.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL PLACE, NEW MODERN bungalow flat, 4 rooms, bath, laundry, sleeping porch. Furnace heat and water paid; 12 minutes out. WILSHIRE 2273.

TO LET—COMPLETELY FURNISHED 3-ROOM flat, new and bargain, 2 beds. 3100 BRIGHTON AVE. West 3231.

TO LET—HANDSOME, MODERN, 4-ROOM BUNGALOW flat, with or without garage; fine location, between two car lines. Call at 1028 WEST 37TH ST.

TO LET—WELL-FURNISHED FLAT, BUILT-IN effects, Holmes disappearing bed with or without garage; must be seen to be appreciated. Call 1221 IROLO ST., Pico Heights.

TO LET—HANDSOMELY FURNISHED NEW FLAT, 3 rooms, bath, sleeping porch, garage; everything strictly modern. F2989. BROADWAY 7438.

TO LET—CHARMING 4-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, 2 beds, private garage. Call afternoons, 1858 W. ADAMS. 73909.

TO LET—NEW 3 OR 4 ROOMS, PRIVATE BATHS, close in; fine view. Crown Hill car to Bolyston, one block south. 1216 W. FOURTH ST.

TO LET—HOMELIKE RESIDENCE FLAT, EVERY convenience; fine location, moderate rent; adults. 1835 W. 12TH. 54181. Fronting Bonnie Brae.

TO LET—CLOSE-IN, 3-ROOM FURNISHED FLAT, two beds, electricity, linen. Telephone $22.50. 1300 S. GRAND AVE.

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT. $16, $25. Call 542 WALL ST. A5726.

TO LET—5-ROOM LOWER COTTAGE FLAT, GARAGE if desired, near Union ave. 1012 W. 22ND.

TO LET— Apartments Furnished.

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FREE AUTOS. FREE AUTOS.
Details of every first-class vacant apartment in the city at our office. No wild-goose chases. No tired feeling. Tell us what you want and we'll show it to you. Tell us what you will pay and we'll show you where to get the most for your money. Our services absolutely free.
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PICKWICK HOTEL AND APTS.
833 South Grand ave.
250 rooms.
Just a few to be vacant today.
Elegant single apartments, $25 to $30.
Elegant double apartments, $40 to $50.
Single rooms with bath, $1.00 per day.
Single rooms with public bath, $4.00 to $4.50 per week.
Beautiful lobby, roof garden and the most homelike place in the city.
Tel. 10483. F. E. PURCELL & CO., Mgrs.

TO LET—
STREICHER APARTMENT.
Bdwy. 459. 454 S. Figueroa st. A1457.
5 minutes' walk to the shopping and amusement center, each apartment has one large room, bath and dressing room, kitchen complete for housekeeping. $1 to $1.75 per day, $7 to $10 per week, $25 to $35 per month. Large double front, $45.

TO LET—
UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.
OUR MOTTO: "YOUR COMFORT OUR PLEASURE."
LILLY APT.
102 W. 38th st.
10 minutes to Seventh and Broadway, 2, 3 and 4-room apt., with private bath; rates $18 per month and up. Electricity, linen and porter service included.

TO LET—CHALET APTS.
W2321. 2375 Scarff street. 26597.
Facing St. James Park.
A beautiful summer home with refined surroundings, large porch and balcony, this is different, come and look at it. Take University car.

TO LET— HERCELENE APTS.,
1617 SOUTH FLOWER STREET.
TWO NICE SINGLE APARTMENTS NOW VACANT. BOTH TELEPHONES AND PRIVATE BATH IN EVERY APARTMENT. STEAM HEAT. ELEVATOR. BILLIARD AND AMUSEMENT ROOM.
HOME 60595. WEST 321.

TO LET—
ALVARADO TERRACE APARTMENTS,
1435 ALVARADO TERRACE.
Completely furnished single and double apartments, just vacated.
20556. Pico or W. 16th car. West 3910.

TO LET—LELAND APARTMENTS.
Westlake district. 743 S. Burlington.
Double front apartment, $30; southern exposure. Also single apartments, private phone and bath; steam heat and janitor service; hot water night and day.

TO LET—617 WESTMORELAND AVE., LOWER apartment, finely furnished, complete in every detail, large grounds, lawns and flowers; 3 rooms and hall; private phone; best residence section in city; inspection invited; if you want the best. Special rate for summer.

TO LET—TO COUPLE WHO WISH FIRST-CLASS apartment with homelike, quiet surroundings; fine grounds, lawn and flowers; special for summer. West of Westlake Park, just off Wilshire blvd. Home phone 54332.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 2 AND 3-ROOM bungalow apartments; beamed ceilings, white enameled kitchens and baths; easy walking distance; $16.50 to $20 monthly. 119 N. BEAUDRY AVE. Phone Broadway 6458.

TO LET—WESTLAKE PARK, REASONABLE, ONE front 2-room, one 3-room apartment, newly renovated, private bath, private telephone; also large single room for light housekeeping; will make price right. 730 LAKE.

TO LET—CUMBERLAND APARTMENT HOTEL, AT the top of Angel's Flight. Finest location in the city. Apartments with modern conveniences. Also single rooms, with or without private bath. Rates very low. 243 S. OLIVE ST. 10340—Main 77.

TO LET—KANIWALD APARTMENTS, 1214 LAKE ST. Elegantly furnished, situated high and sunny, fashionable district, low rates, amusement rooms, free telephones. Pico or West 11th street car. Phones WEST 890; HOME 557587.

TO LET—ELEGANT, FURNISHED LOWER DOUBLE apartment in select Westlake district. Rent $60, including telephone and heat. Lawn and general surroundings like private home. Plenty of sunshine. JOE TOPLITZKY, Wilshire 149 or 556857.

TO LET—CHESTMERE, 2 AND 3-ROOM APARTMENTS, new brick building, steam heat, elevator, Hoosier kitchens, on the hill, above noise and dust of city. 202 N. GRAND.

TO LET—3-ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT, $20, gas, electricity and phone included. 306 W. 38TH ST. Grand-ave. or Moneta car. Adults only.

TO LET—FRANKLIN APARTMENTS, 203 W. 16TH st., corner Hill. Two and three rooms, steam heat. $12 up.

TO LET — MANCHESTER APARTMENTS, 1515 S. Figueroa. Home Phone 25831. Broadway 3440. Everything new. Elevator, steam heat. Owner's management.

TO LET — MODERN TWO AND THREE-ROOM apartments, private bath and phone, only two blocks south of Hamburger's. MOZART APTS., 1022 S. Hill. Broadway 3580.

TO LET—WALKING DISTANCE, NICELY FURNISHED 3-room outside cheerful apartment, private bath, phones, etc.; $18 month. BRIER APARTMENTS, 924 W. 10th. Quiet, homelike.

TO LET—ONLY $12 MONTH, FOR COSY 2-ROOM apt., large kitchen (worth $16;) a large front room and bath, wall bed, $2.50 week; walking distance. 234 S. FLOWER.

TO LET—LA PRINENA APTS. APARTMENTS for rent, close to Westlake Park, $20 per month, fully furnished and telephones. LA PRINENA, 717 Lake st.

TO LET—2-ROOM MODERN APARTMENTS, 815 West 37th place, all outside sunny rooms. Price $16, by appointment will meet you with automobile and show you. A5027.

TO LET—MARCHBURN HOTEL, LARGE, SUNNY apartments, $10 month up; single rooms, $1.50 week up; walking distance. 133 N. BUNKER HILL. Broadway 8148.

TO LET—WAVERLY APARTMENTS, 1324 BOND ST. 25704. Inducements for permanent tenants. Private baths, private phone, modern, vacuum cleaned, close in. Pico car. $16 up.

TO LET—CLOSE IN, MODERN 4-ROOM FURNISHED flat, sleeping porch. Telephone. Call 351 S. HOPE.

TO LET—DOUBLE FURNISHED APARTMENT, PRIVATE bath, $15. 3195 W. 10TH. Phone West 911.

TO LET—LOUVRE APARTMENTS, 605 E. WASHINGTON, steam heated, reasonable rates, garage. SOUTH 1204. 24742.

TO LET—WENDELL APARTMENTS, $14, $16, 3 cheery sunny rooms, private bath, extra good beds. 202 W. 27TH. South 3277J.

TO LET—4-ROOM APARTMENT, FURNISHED OR unfurnished. 2622 BRIGHTON AVE.

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FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT SACRIFICE.
305 N. Normandie, 5 rooms, $2900.
309 N. Normandie, 6 rooms, $3500.
321 N. Normandie, 6 rooms, $3800.
428 N. Serrano, 7 rooms, $3700.
208 S. St. Andrews, 8 rooms, $6800.
Commission to agents; terms. W. VEEDER, owner, builder, 208 S. St. Andrews. Phones: 50160, and Wilshire 965.

FOR SALE—ON ACCOUNT OF LEAVING THE CITY I offer my 10-room home at a bargain; has every modern convenience, was built by day labor, large, sunny rooms, hardwood floors, garage, etc.; and situated in the heart of the Wilshire district; lot 60x150; east front; all improvements in and paid for; no trades, no agents. Apply on the premises, 605 S. SERRANO AVE., between Sixth and Wilshire blvd.

FOR SALE—IN NORTH WILSHIRE SECTION.
540 LARCHMONT BOULEVARD.
Excellent bungalow with seven large rooms and all modern improvements.
Large lot, on W. Sixth st. car line.
Reasonable price and terms.
W. H. WILLEBRANDS. 811 Hibernian Bldg.

FOR SALE—FOR BEST OFFER—
Actually worth $5500. Will Sacrifice.
1219 W. 37th st., near Vermont.
A substantially built, 2-story, 7-room house, very large closets, hardwood floors, heating system, garage, all conveniences. Key or 1231 next door.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, A MODERN 7-ROOM bungalow, up-to-date in every respect, located in the southwest on Grand ave. car line; owner's home; will sell on suitable terms.
See LEON KORNFELD, Owner,
A3411, Main 434. 635 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—BY OWNER, WILSHIRE residence just completed, eight rooms finished in white enamel and mahogany, tiled bath, and every other modern feature, large lot, garage, $7500. Very small payment down, or take lots up to $2500. A real home at the right price. TRUITT 1315 W. Fourth. Home 53161.

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL 2-STORY BUNGALOW, furnished, unfurnished, Grand ave. car; sacrifice $1600 equity, $900; snap for one desiring good home. 1622 W. 48TH ST. Phone 70334.

FOR SALE — BIG SACRIFICE, HOME, PARTLY burned, must sell, lot 50x143 to alley. 1430 E. Adams st., sewer, barn, etc. Terms. HEALEY, box 34, Placentia, Cal.

FOR SALE—EQUITY IN 5-ROOM BUNGALOW AT 756 N. Wilton place; lot 45x135; fair price; no liens against property. Address X, box 546, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—14 ROOMS, MODERN, LOT 100x160; value $14,000; price $8500; $5000 can stand at 7 per cent. F7048. Owner, 1008 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—BECAUSE I AM LEAVING TOWN WILL sell $275 equity in new and attractive bungalow, in desirable part of city, for $75. Address P, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$1000 SACRIFICE, 6-ROOM BUNGALOW on N. Garfield ave., Pasadena. $800 down. A fine home. Owner. Address Y, box 307, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — A WELL-BUILT BUNGALOW, FIVE rooms, bath, sleeping porch, all modern conveniences. F. J. ISAAC, 141 W. Avenue 30. Tel. 31301.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE, NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW and garage on 60 ft. lot, lawn, fence and chicken house; must be sold; going East. 1250 W. 71ST.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL MY BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW, $50 down and $25 a month. VERMONT 3090.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM HOUSE, BOYLE HEIGHTS, near Brooklyn ave. car; $1600, clear. OWNER, 28092.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE BARGAIN, BEAUTIFUL modern home, 9 large rooms and sleeping porch. 228 S. MANHATTAN. 568457.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT, NEW 8-ROOM house, breakfast-room, sleeping porch, furnace, garage, hardwood floors throughout. PHONE 54581.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICE BY OWNER, NEW 6-room bungalow, hardwood floors throughout. Grand ave. car. $3000, small payment down, balance easy. 26735; VERMONT 5389.

FOR SALE—NOTHING DOWN, $18 PER MONTH, like rent; including interest, new 5-room bungalow and garage, $2500; new tract. Phone VERMONT 920.

FOR SALE—$1000 EQUITY FOR $500, SPLENDID 6-room modern bungalow, on corner lot, in southwest, an unusual snap. Owner, office SOUTH 6986. Residence, Glendale 450J.

FOR SALE—FOR $500, $1000 EQUITY IN 5-ROOM bungalow, with ¾ acre of ground. Phone MRS. R., West 280.

FOR SALE—MODERN UP-TO-DATE 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, garage, bearing fruit trees, cash, terms. Must go East. VERMONT 1528.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
TONIC FOR THE BUSY MAN.

FOR SALE—MODERN SEVEN-ROOM BUNGALOW in southwest, hardwood floors, built-in features, etc. Leaving city. Will sacrifice my equity. No reasonable offer refused. ROSEMERE APTS., apartment 105.

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN IN THE CITY, $4500 equity in 12-room house for $3000; mortgage $3000; house can give home for owner and earn $50 per month in rental; walking distance, on Temple. PULLEN, 1217 W. Temple. Phone 51086.

FOR SALE—LEAVING THE CITY, MUST SELL MY 6-room modern bungalow in Old Vermont Square, best location in Southwest, near school, library, stores and churches. Grand avenue car, terms given. A snap at $3100. Phone VERMONT 4369.

FOR SALE—REAL SACRIFICE, $3500, EASY terms, 6-room modern cottage, splendid condition, 40x120, asphalt paved street, location 3220 S. HOOVER. Worth $4500. BAIERSKI. F6888.

FOR SALE—QUICK, A SNAP, LOT AND SMALL house, Alhambra, $750; terms. Several fine homes here and on terms. Come see what we have. EASTERN LAND & EXCHANGE CO., F3434. Bdwy. 1572. 1118 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR SALE—RIVERSIDE, NICE 7-ROOM SWISS chalet, nearly new, corner, facing paved street, only 8 blocks from Mission Inn. See owner, 235 EAST EIGHTH ST., Long Beach.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—$1200 EQUITY IN 5-room house, for clear lot, auto and some cash or what have you? Call evenings or Sunday, 1255 E. 54TH ST.

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WILL BUILD YOU A BUNGALOW FROM 2 TO 8 rooms, costing from a hundred dollars to $5000; can build you a splendid 5-room bungalow for $750; our drafting department is at your service. Building loans furnished. Beautiful bungalow book free to prospective builders. By mail, 25c.
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F5912. 808 Investment Bldg. Main 4183.

TRIMLETT & COMBELLICK, 205 STORY BLDG. We build a dandy 5-room modern bungalow complete, ready to move into, for $750, no cash needed; pay $10 a month—"that's all." Also 5 to 8 rooms, $1000 to $5000, anywhere in Southern California.

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FOR FIGURES ON ALL KINDS OF BUILDING AND repairs call VERMONT 3428.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
ONLY $1100.
BIGGEST BARGAIN EVER OFFERED.
Lot 50x135, east front, Third ave., near Ninth st., asphalt streets and sewerage; all assessments paid. Owners have to sell at a sacrifice.
COUNTRY CLUB PARK,
724 Trust & Savings Bldg.
Phone 60165 or Main 1120.

FOR SALE—
GREAT WILSHIRE SACRIFICE.
ONLY $1300.
This east-front lot, north of the boulevard, on a street now being paved, is the biggest bargain in city. Lot is worth $1800; owner instructs us to sell this week. See MR. BARKER.
ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
508 Trust and Savings Bldg.

FOR SALE—
BEST BUY ON HIGH GROUND.
92x150. Northwest corner of Torrance and Normandie. Owner is sacrificing for quick sale. Two-story restriction. $2700 cash. Might divide into two lots.
GEO. F. ELMENDORF,
Main 6198. F3286.

FOR SALE—FINE EAST FRONT BUSINESS LOT on Western avenue, near 38th st., ripe for store or flats, good location for garage and gas station. Only unrestricted lot left in this block. Price $1275 is $500 under value; $75 cash, balance $10 month. MR. GALE, 406 Central Bldg. Main 2251. Home F5925.

FOR SALE—MY EQUITY OF $700 IN 3 LOTS, Glendale, at great sacrifice. Forced to sell. Four blocks west of Brand Blvd. All improvements. Two lots together, 50x140 each. No fair offer overlooked. G. A. L., 138 S. Western ave.

FOR SALE—WILSHIRE DISTRICT.
72x150. OXFORD CORNER. $5650.
Worth more money.
—Look For Our Sign—
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60817. 614 Trust & Savings Bldg. Bdwy. 978.

FOR SALE—AT THE DOORS OF OCCIDENTAL College, over $400,000 raised for Development. WESLEY ROBERTS CO. is selling lots on EASY TERMS. See JUDD, at tract office, Eagle Rock City line, at city limits. Phone Main 2043.

FOR SALE—ONE TO TEN LOTS, NON-RESIDENT owner, half price, mortgage back on lots for all except cash to pay accrued interest, taxes and expenses; fine location, southeast, 5-cent fare; your chance, act quick. Call 55C496.

FOR SALE—CLIENT IN EAST INSTRUCTS ME TO sell his three Wilshire lots at bank appraisement. One large corner, two inside. Here is a bargain. W. J. CONNIFF, Attorney-in-Fact, 333 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

FOR SALE—$350 FOR A $1200 LOT. HOW DOES that strike you? This is just off Sunset blvd., 12 minutes from Broadway, if you want this, call early. F0768.

FOR SALE—WE OWN OVER 100 LOTS CLOSE IN. Will sell ten lots, 50x150 feet for $365 each. A mighty bargain. F7048. Owner. 1008 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—LARGE CORNER LOT, 108 FEET ON Redondo blvd., in Inglewood; will take best cash offer; street work not paid, but has 7 years to run; bank value $1200. WILSHIRE 6197.

FOR SALE — FINE WILSHIRE DISTRICT HIGH-class flat or apartment lot, worth $4500; will make big sacrifice for cash. Owner, 1555 BRONSON AVE. Holly 954.

FOR SALE—$225, LOT NEAR FIRST ST., 25x180, unrestricted, very easy terms. FOWLER, 10625, Main 60.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL MY CORNER LOT ON MONETA near 54th for $1000 under value. Address Y, box 301, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
INCOMPARABLE SUBURBAN HOME SITES.

FOR SALE—PRETTY BUNGALOW LOT, NEW VERMONT Square, southwest corner, clear. Owner, 1211 S. UNION.

FOR SALE—LOT ON 81ST, ALL IMPROVEMENTS, only $400. Phone WEST 5788.

FOR SALE— Acreage for Subdivision.

FOR SALE—TRACTS FROM 1 ACRE UP TO 100 acres in size, in the path of the city's rapid growth, Los Angeles to Venice; we are headquarters for this district; phone us for auto or free map. HARRY H. CULVER CO., second floor Hollingsworth Bldg. 60032 or Main 8045.

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, 8 ACRES, HIGH high and sightly, between Los Angeles and Venice, fronting on Washington Blvd. and running through to Short Line, P. E. Owner, F. J. M., 124 E. KENDALL ST., Corona, Cal.

FOR SALE—100 ACRES IN CITY, 5-CENT CAR line; water provided; worth $1600 per acre; will consider 50 per cent. cut. F7048. Owner, 1008 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE— Business Property.

FOR SALE—PRINCIPAL BUSINESS CORNER IN ESTABLISHED town 8 miles from Los Angeles. Pay 8 per cent. net on $30,000. Will consider part exchange. Address RICHARD LOUCKS, 308 Frost Bldg.

FOR SALE — FINE WILSHIRE DISTRICT HIGH-class flat or apartment lot, worth $4500; will make big sacrifice for cash. Owner, 1555 BRONSON AVE. Holly 954.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
WATCH FOR OPENING. BIG BARBECUE.

FOR SALE—INCOME $80 PER MONTH, PAYS over 10 per cent., price $8500; a bargain. Clear. Address X, box 463, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE— Income Property.

FOR SALE — WEST ADAMS FLAT, GOOD PAYER, nice place, income $1440 a year. Hollywood flat with vacant space for more improvements, good place, California house, 7th and Boyle ave., good cheap place. Lot Vermont and Vernon, flats all around. Any of these sold very cheap for cash. Will give terms on some of them. Address E, box 238, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO 6-ROOM HIGH CLASS flats, rent $75; Wilshire on Oxford street, $9500; mortgage $4000; want residence or good paper for equity. PERCIVAL H. HAWLEY, 740½ S. Figueroa st.

FOR SALE—PROPERTY, 311 CALIFORNIA ST., house 18 rooms and apartments; block from Courthouse at Broadway. Open from 10 to 3. $8000.

FOR SALE—A SNAP FOR SOME ONE WITH CASH, 4 flat building and bungalow, monthly income $140. Address F, box 143, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE— Industrial Property.

FOR SALE—WE OWN 2700 ACRES, 4 MILES S.E. Sixth and Main; all railroads; great inducements to manufacturers. LAGUNA LAND & WATER CO., 557 S. Main st. A5245 or Main 7240.

FOR SALE— Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—WHY WAIT until Saturday night to telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times? Do it Friday or early Saturday.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
WITH EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE.

FOR SALE— Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
A PERMANENT INCOME.
$1425.
A beautiful suburban homesite. I have been told to sacrifice to close this estate. One and one-tenth acres, covered with 12-year-old full-bearing walnut trees. 30 minutes from Sixth and Main. On improved street, and surrounded by homes. High, with great view of mountains. Water piped. Attractive monthly payments. See me at once. J. F. DIETRICH, with JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY, 611-613 S. Hill st. Home 10545 or Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
RAMONA ACRES.
$1100.
An acre in old Ramona Acres, 371 feet deep. Two blocks from fine school and stores. Water piped. Oiled and graded streets. Fine homes. Will sell for $50 cash and $10 per month. F. M. BARKER, 613 S. Hill st. Home 10845 or Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—
IMPROVED POULTRY RANCH.
On the car line, 28 minutes from Sixth and Main sts. 3-room modern house, with bath and front porch. Sidewalks and curbs already in. 125 feet street frontage. Fenced. Chicken coops built and 20 2-year-old assorted fruit trees in family orchard. Room for 700 chickens and grow green stuff. Terms $150 down and balance like rent. JANSS INVESTMENT COMPANY, 611-613 S. Hill st. Home 10845 or Broadway 2468.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, SAN GABRIEL VALLEY, close Monrovia car line, 12 miles L. A.; comfortable house, barn, chicken equipment, orchard, berries, gas, electricity; will sell at a sacrifice; also have neat 2-acre place, all in full bearing fruit, 5-room modern bungalow, chicken yards, shed, etc.; easy terms. Have other acreage in same district from 1 to 5 acres, improved or unimproved, with gas and electricity.
F7764. SOUTHLAND REALTY CORP.,
Bdwy. 1066. 419 Homer Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
ACRES, $900, $90 CASH, $10 MONTH.
Lots 50x160, $375, $25 cash, $10 month.
Twenty minutes from Sixth and Main, ½ block from cars, all street improvements, stores, schools. Call and go with us. Phone for illustrated plat. LAGUNA LAND & WATER CO., 557 S. Main st. Phone A5245, Main 7240.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR A chicken ranch, investigate this offer. Must be sold at once. 81x300, sandy loam soil, close to car line and schools. Will be sold at sacrifice. Small payment down, rest like rent. Mr. Whiting, Garden Acres Dept.
THE McCARTHY COMPANY,
60409. 637 South Hill st. Main 8172.

FOR SALE— —FOR SALE
ORANGE GROVE VILLA SITES.
½ acres—50x200—$1500 up.
At Michillinda, the most beautiful suburb of L. A.
All street improvements—30 min. from town.
Send for illustrated plat.
F. C. WOOD & CO., 257 South Hill st.
Main 3173—F4265.

FOR SALE—IDEAL LITTLE RANCH ON FIVE-cent car line, ½ acre, beautifully improved, 4-room modern plastered house, barn, 100 fruit trees, flowers. Only $2000, $500 cash. 25354. WEST 3651.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
WITHIN EAST ACCESS BUSINESS CENTER.

FOR SALE—ONE AND HALF ACRES LAND ADJOINING Glendale. Part cash. 1602 WEST 2ND ST., Glendale.

La Canada.

FOR SALE—LA CANADA VILLA SITES, WEEK-end retreats, acreage tracts. Elevation, 1800 to 2000 feet. Views unparalleled. HAROLD D. DALE, 831 Security Bldg. F2561.

HOLLYWOOD—

FOR SALE—READ THIS THEN SEE THE HOUSE, new 6-room bungalow, never been occupied, living-room, dining-room, two bedrooms, fine breakfast room, large bathroom, large closets, cabinet kitchen, gas heating; hot water, hardwood floors, indirect lighting, garage, etc. Sell on easy payments. Owner. A2242 evenings, Hollywood 1955.

FOR SALE—$3000, ON FRANKLIN AVE. NEAR Highland ave., in heart of Hollywood, elegant big corner, large enough for two houses; excellent neighborhood; two fine pine trees on lot and absolutely is [illegible] hundred dollars less than value. Call owner, HOME PHONE 59664 after 6 o'clock.

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TO LET—FINE HOLLYWOOD HOME, NORTH OF Hollywood blvd., at 1815 Van Ness ave. 8-room 2-story and garage; east front, furnished at $60, unfurnished at $50 per month. Address owner, JOHN COMBE, 1825 La Brea ave. Tel. 57109.

FOR SALE — NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, SMALL cash payment, balance monthly, East Hollywood, near Sunset blvd. SOUTH 6760M.

FOR SALE— Beach Property.

FOR SALE—COMPLETELY FURNISHED 7-ROOM house with bath and sleeping porch, 3 bedrooms, garage; lot 90x200 to alley. Best location at Balboa Palisades. Price $3500. This is a bargain, considerable less than cost of house and lot. HARRY SHLAUDEMAN, 422 I. W. Hellman Bldg. F1301.

Huntington Beach.

FOR SALE—
FREE TRIP.
To Huntington Beach, Saturday and Sunday for limited number to whom I can give personal attention in showing lots and acreage at this attractive seaside town. Register day preceding trip. H. W. ROSENTHALL, Salesman, Huntington Beach Co., 634 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg., 7th and Spring.

Long Beach.

FOR SALE—MOODY BLOCK, CORNER PINE AND Ocean, principal corner in Long Beach, income $15,000 per year, with rent cut over 25 per cent. Make appointment with A. W. MAYELL, 115 E. Ocean, Long Beach.

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TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED HOUSES. Rent very reasonable. At PACIFIC COURT, 237 Pacific st. Get off at Bicknell station.

FOR SALE— Country Property.

FOR SALE — ALFALFA RANCH, 320 ACRES, 3 miles from R.R. station, 40 acres under cultivation, 20 in alfalfa, fine stand, first crop ready to cut in two weeks; all fenced and cross-fenced, with hog-proof fence, 3000 feet cement pipe laid, 500 feet 8-in. surface pipe; fine pumping plant, 70 inches water, 10,000-gallon elevated tank; water piped to all fields and buildings; splendid opportunity for hog and dairy ranch. Attractive price, part cash, balance 10 years' time; low interest. See MR. SHANKS, 531 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Forced sale, 320-acre dairy ranch, on main road, good 5-rooms, large barn, fenced to 40 and 80-acre tracts, all new, 4 shallow wells, one artesian well, gas for fuel and lights; about 200 acres to alfalfa, balance checked; land level, soil rich silt loam, no alkali, 3 miles from good town and railroad; place clear; sell on easy terms, but must be sold. Make offer. Address P. O. A2, CORCORAN, Cal.

FOR SALE—SETTLING AN ESTATE, NOTED Brown ranch near Paso Robles, Cal., 1440 acres, stock, grain, alfalfa and tree land, rich soil, 1-3 practically level, balance largely rolling hills. Has 4000 acres government free range land adjoining, plenty water, near R.R. station, State highway, paved boulevard, sacrificing to settle affairs; now $15 acre cash. WILLIAM A. BYON, 204 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—40 ACRES, 1-4 MILE OF EL CURTO, fenced into 4 fields. Hog tight, fully water stocked, all in alfalfa, rented for $12.50 per acre cash; soft land, price $11,500; mortgage $4750, two years, 7 per cent. What have you to offer in Los Angeles or vicinity, will consider of same value or less. H. B. CLIFTON, 204 West Ocean, Long Beach, Cal.

FOR SALE—$200 PER ACRE AND UP—
Land in the Placentia district, 26 miles from Los Angeles, on the Santa Fe, in the frostless district; water stock in electric pumping plant with each acre; terms to suit. Free auto every day. Call or write for appointment.
FRANK W. REYNOLDS,
A3441, Main 434. 635 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—17¾ ACRES, 3-4 MILE EAST OF Monrovia city limits, north of and adjoining P. E. Ry. and foothill blvd. Mostly full bearing Valencias, fully water stocked; price $25,000; will reserve crop at $3000 if desired, balance $10,000 cash; $10,000 unincumbered income. R. R. BEALL, Duarte, Cal.

FOR SALE — OR LEASE — 240 ACRES SPLENDID pasture land, between Bishop and Laws, Inyo county, California; formerly known as GEO. W. REYNOLDS RANCH. Situated on Owens River, Well fenced and watered. Clear title. Brokers protected. Address R. P. HARVEY, Monadnock Bldg., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—12½-ACRE RANCH, L. A. COUNTY, 30 miles from Los Angeles; 300 lemons, trees bearing; water, house, etc. This place is to be sold to close an estate. Best cash offer takes it. Clear. Address Owner, X, box 433, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—YUCAIPA VALLEY APPLE ORCHARD, choicest varieties, 5 years old, close in, one of the most desirable locations, $4000, part cash. 51207. Address E, box 208, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE — 160 ACRES, HEMET-SAN JACINTO fruit land; 90 acres cultivated; spring water; suitable for cattle or hog ranch; buildings; $4750; mortgage $2000, 3 years; snap. O. PARK SMITH, 905 Haas Bldg.

FOR SALE—RAILROAD LANDS IN 28 COUNTIES in California and Nevada; one-tenth cash, ten years' time; write SOUTHERN PACIFIC LAND AGENCY, 410 Grosse Bldg., Los Angeles. Mention the county about which you want information.

FOR SALE—
ENCINO ACRES.
MEANS HOME AMONG THE OAKS.

FOR SALE—RANCH, EL DORADO CO., 320 ACRES, $15,000. A. LAYNE, Pilot Hill, Cal.

FOR SALE—FOR WALNUT GROVES. G. J. MOREY, 703 Delta Bldg. A1985.

Classified Liners.

FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE—20 ACRES RICH IRRIGATED MERCED Valley land; adapted to fruit or farming. 12 acres alfalfa, balance barley; start with a dozen good brood sows and you can pay for this in three years, aside from a good living. $2700. $1500 cash, balance four years. Call BURGE, owner, Main 738 or 60041.

San Fernando Valley.

FOR SALE—IN THE SAN FERNANDO VALLEY, 2½ to 40 acre tracts to suit. No better soil in the valley. Close to electric car line, boulevard and school. Owens River water. All planted to orchard three years old. Your choice of peaches, pears, apples, olives, oranges or lemons. I am the owner of several hundred acres and want to sell a portion of my land and get settlement and neighbors. You will save the real estate man's commission and as a special inducement I will give ten years at 6 per cent, and if you will build at once I will give you 100 laying hens for 2½ acre purchases and 200 laying hens for larger purchases; so you can start in business right away. Address Y, box 310, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE — BARGAIN: 10 ACRES IN CHATSWORTH. Deal direct with owner. BROADWAY 3882.

Antelope Valley.

FOR SALE—160 ACRES CLEAR, DEEDED LAND. Antelope Valley; good soil, level land, 5 miles from town, want $1500. 1449 E. 54TH ST., city.

Kern County.

FOR SALE—100 ACRES OF FINE SANDY LOAM soil. All in alfalfa and oats. Six head of good horses, wagons, mowing machines, derrick, scrapers, plows, harness, etc. Water right in big ditch for irrigating. Near railroad station, and paved county highway. Ten miles from Bakersfield. Everything on the place goes in at the bargain price of $140 per acre. For this and other Kern county bargains write E. A. MOORE & SON, Hopkins Bldg., Bakersfield, Cal.

Santa Cruz.

FOR SALE — RANCHES, HOMES, ACRES. FREE list. WILSON BROS., Santa Cruz, Cal.

Ventura County.

FOR SALE — CITRUS AND DECIDUOUS FRUIT ranches, bean and oil land, ranches from 5 acres up. Write J. A. CRANK, Glen Tavern, Santa Paula, Cal.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY—

FOR SALE — 2000-ACRE STOCK RANCH NEAR Tulare; good soil; 1500 acres under cultivation, grain and alfalfa; ample water developed; fully stocked; three sets of ranch buildings; owner wishes to retire; terms to suit purchaser. BOX 533, Santa Monica, Cal.

FOR SALE—320-ACRE ALFALFA RANCH, ALL IMproved, on main line of Southern Pacific Railroad, south of Fresno; station on ranch and State highway passes through it. Broadway 1069. W. E. RUSSELL, 335 Central ave.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER— 10 sections of rich, level farming land in Fresno county, $22.50 per acre, easy terms. Apply to M. W. MULLER, 315 Forsyth Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

COACHELLA VALLEY—

FOR SALE—10 TO 5000 ACRES. PRICE FROM $10 up, on easy terms. See owner, E. W. SHIRK, 1221 W. Seventh st.

PALO VERDE—

FOR SALE—160 ACRES OF FINE UNIMPROVED land near Blythe, great bargain. Call ARMSTRONG, 526 Grosse Bldg. Phone 7202.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OREGON ORCHARD, DUFUR DISTRICT, edge of the pines, east of slope of Cascades, foot of Mt. Hood, healthful, temperate climate, pure spring water; 440 acres, 125 acres in pears, apples, cherries, soon in bearing; balance in grain, alfalfa, woods; 170 acres of which suitable for orchard, now ready to plant. Libby, McNeill, Libby making long term contracts here for pears, cherries, apricots. Price $45,000; reasonable terms. Address owner, W. E. BARNHISEL, Dufur, Oregon.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE— 320 acres, State of Utah, Millard county, Abraham school district. Oasis, good level grazing or general farming land; value $20 per acre; 2 irrigation ditches parallel this land; want lots, land or bungalow; what have you? See FRANK REYNOLDS, 655 Union Oil Bldg. Phones Home A3411, Main 434.

FOR EXCHANGE—WHO WANTS A FINE HOME here for their eastern land or town property? Have 160, Doniphan county, Kan., $3500; 160 acres, Reno county, at a bargain. Land all parts of Kansas. EASTERN LAND & EXCHANGE CO., F3454, Bdwy. 1572. 1118 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—EASTERN OR NORTHERN INCOME property in exchange for a $65,000 equity in a thousand acres of choice San Joaquin Valley land with ample water available. Submit full particulars of your proposition. Address owner, E, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR EASTERN, OWNER NONresident, have 221 acres foothill ranch, with water; beautifully located on main highway, 50 miles South Los Angeles; price $18,000; will trade clear for clear; prefer Minnesota, Michigan or Wisconsin property. Address Apt. 37, 600 S. BONNIE Brae. Phone Wilshire 5921.

FOR EXCHANGE—OUR COMBINED EXCHANGE lists make the largest in California. We will trade your property anywhere. I. R. SHOEMAKER or ARTHUR H. BAILEY, 705 Story Bldg. F4631. Main 6631.

FOR EXCHANGE—EASTERN FOR CALIFORNIA OUR SPECIALTY. LANGDON & LANGDON, 705 Grant Bldg. A5655.

FOR EXCHANGE — WE EXCHANGE EASTERN properties for California. H. G. ADAMS, with W. L. JACOBS, 618 Grant Bldg. Main 2831. A2982.

FOR EXCHANGE—IF YOU HAVE DAKOTA LAND see me; can get you cash and good property here. Party going there soon. SHRIVER, 305 Union Oil Bldg. 13540.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3500; NEAR PORTLAND, OREgon, 40-acre improved farm, level, rich soil, in crops; good neighborhood; want Los Angeles or suburban. BAIERSKI, 203 Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—INCOME PROPERTY, Albuquerque, New Mexico, $30,000, all clear, for ranch or income property here. WILLIAM A. RYON, 204 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR KANSAS LAND FOR small chicken ranch. D. B. TAYLOR, Y.M.C.A.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT IN ST. LOUIS NEAR Delmar Garden for acreage near Los Angeles. Phone MAIN 3611.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF exchange; particularly California for eastern. A5627. 451 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

FOR SALE — RELINQUISHMENT, 320 ACRES choice fruit land, adjoining fine orchard, on railroad, ½ miles to station and live town, postoffice, stores, good school, church; a splendid opportunity to get fine ranch for little money. See MR. SHANKS, 531 Union Oil Bldg.

I HAVE FOR SALE 80 RELINQUISHMENT, CLOSE to R.R., water and good soil, some improvements, but must sell; might take some trade; machine or lot. Address F, box 118, TIMES OFFICE.

THE BEST HOMESTEAD LAND IN MILFORD VALley, Utah, open to filings; know every foot of land in the valley; also best California homestead lands. Inquire 229½ S. FREMONT AVE. Phone Main 9470.

PAY $80 FOR REFILING AND SECURE ½ OF 320 acres, with flowing artesian well, Imperial county, adjoining State highway; quick action necessary. 147 N. PRICHARD ST. Home after 5 p.m.

WATER ONLY 15 FEET, LEVEL 160, EAST OF Barstow, neighbors growing alfalfa; excellent homestead; two years' improvements; make me a cash offer; any amount considered. I mean business. Call 6018 CARLOS AVE. Hollywood car.

RELINQUISHMENT, 40 ACRES ON RAILROAD. Level, cleared. Water 30 feet. Rainfall 17 inches, near Los Angeles. Large valley. Fertile soil. None vacant. Send your address. $5 per acre. GEO. RENNO, La Crosse Hotel, Hill st.

320-ACRE RELINQUISHMENT, 100 MILES FROM Los Angeles, 23 acres cleared, all level. Fertile rich soil, worth $20 acre. Must relinquish and will consider good city property worth $2500. 41 KENNEBEC AVE., Long Beach.

HOMESTEADER, DON'T PAY LOCATION FEE; will give you my 320 acres fine wheat land, 40 acres ready for crop, for 50 cents per acre, near Kramer. Address F, box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

OIL PROPERTY—

CALIFORNIA PROFIT-SHARING OIL COMPANY'S LANDS offer you an opportunity to obtain large profits and quick results. Arranged in lots from $30 up to suit all purchasers. Write or telephone for full information regarding our plan. Agents wanted. J. A. BANGS, Selling Agent, A1317. 210 Story Bldg.

FOR SALE—PATENTED OIL LAND UNDEVELOPed, 160 acres, northeast from Fullerton oil fields. JOHN K. WRIGHT, owner, Pomona, Cal.

ORANGE AND LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE — 100-ACRE ORANGE GROVE one-third navels, balance Valencias. Want for eastern, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse or New York City preferred. OWNER, 832 Union Oil Bldg. F0097.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—10 ACRE GROVE, half navels, half Valencias, Riverside. Trees in fine condition. $10,000. JONATHAN S. DODGE, 258 S. Hill. 60286.

FOR SALE— ENCINO ACRES. TRACTS 2½ TO 30 ACRES.

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For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE— I have 19 acres of choice orange land, right on Placentia boulevard, a paved auto thoroughfare, in one of the finest orange districts in Southern California, in the frostless belt, south of Placentia, close to Fullerton and Anaheim district. Valencia oranges paid big returns this year. 19 shares of water stock go with the land; water piped from electric pumping plant, gas piped to the land. I will exchange this land at $500 per acre clear for good city property or what have you to offer? I will show you the property at your convenience. Phone or call for appointment. FRANK W. REYNOLDS, A3411. Main 434. 655 Union Oil Bldg.

FOR SALE—FOR VALENCIAS, ANAHEIM, YORBA Linda or Whittier. C. J. MOREY, 703 Delta. A1985.

POULTRY RANCHES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—POULTRY RANCHES 2½ TO 5 acres. Close to car line and school in San Fernando Valley. Splendid soil. Planted to orchard. Ten years time at 6 per cent. If you build at once I will give you 100 laying hens for 2½ acres or 200 hens for 5 acres, so you can start right in business. Address Y, box 311, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

HOTELS, ROOMING HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—HOTEL, 50 ROOMS, ON MAIN ST. corner, two blocks from the Rosslyn, mostly transient, good lease, private baths, running water, all sunny rooms, first-class condition. Address D, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—HOTEL IN LIVE TOWN NEAR LOS Angeles, consisting of 40 rooms, one block from Southern Pacific depot, on corner 70x150; price $16,000; mortgage $3500; trade for ranch, clear lots or house. PHONE 52644.

TO LET—LODGING-HOUSE, RIGHT IN TOWN, furniture for sale, over 100 rooms. Address B, box 8, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AVOID VEXATIOUS DELAYS BY TELephoning your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, Huntington Park; want rooming-house or what have you? BROADWAY 2293.

FOR SALE—20 ROOMS ON SEVENTH NEAR MAIN, all full. Rent $55. BROADWAY 2902.

FOR SALE—PAYING ROOMING-HOUSE, 231 NORTH BROADWAY.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR EXCHANGE—FURNITURE AND LEASE OF handsome 75-room apartment-house in Westlake district, every late equipment; elegant frontal appearance, low rental; building spacious, airy, elegant; furniture fine, massive, strong; faces millionaires' row; I lately acquired this beautiful house, but being a world traveler have no time to manage it, hence must force a deal today. Price $10,000, clear; all trade, or all time, with security; lately sold for $18,000 cash; come direct to owner on premises, 811 S. UNION AVE. Take W. Ninth st. cars to Union ave. Hours 10 to 3 only. Phones: Wilshire 7, Home 556001.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT APARTMENT-HOUSE, good location, good income, will give 297-acre highly improved farm, State of Washington, $25,000, clear, and assume $10,000 to $15,000; prefer Los Angeles, but will consider a place in town close by; owners submit at once for quick deal. PERCIVAL H. HAWLEY, 740½ S. Figueroa st.

WANTED—APARTMENT OR ROOMING-HOUSE, for $5000 equity in improved six-acre ranch, close in on car line of main street of Pomona. A. J. WARD, 103 S. Thomas st., Pomona.

FOR EXCHANGE—3-STORY BRICK APARTMENThouse, 50 rooms, for income property in or near Nashville, Tennessee. PHONE F5848.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Business Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—EXCEEDINGLY WELL-LOCATED city property, having large frontage on three wide paved streets and car line. Ripe for stores, apartments, hotels, etc. Price $297,000; mortgage $55,400. Want clear for all or part of equity. Will consider eastern. BROWN BROS CO., 626 S. Spring st. 60096. Bdwy. 363.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE NEW BUILDING OF 2 stories, being 4 flats of 4 rooms each, on West 40th place, just east of Vermont ave. Rents for $80 month. Will accept smaller piece of property, ranch, house and lot or lot or any good clear property. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUNGALOW COURT, LOCATION Hollywood, lot 120x215; 18 units; just being completed; will rent for $500 month; trading price $60,000; $25,000 can stand on property, balance clear property. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—3-STORY BRICK HOTEL AND stores, Ocean Park, $65,000, mortgage $18,000; 640 acres, Ventura county, $30 per acre, clear; beautiful 10-room residence, Victoria Park, $13,500, mortgage $6000. Submit to IRVING TURNER, 253 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT 60x165 ON FREMONT AVEnue between Third and Fourth. $15,000. Mortgage $4000. What have you for equity? JONATHAN S. DODGE, 253 S. Hill. 60286.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR BUSINESS LOT ON Moneta ave., north of Vernon, for Wilshire residence; will assume. S. SCHULMAN, 519 Union Oil Bldg. Main 2568, A1268.

FOR EXCHANGE—REAL ESTATE. NOW THE TIME (when business conditions are good,) the place, E. LUNDEEN COMPANY, Second floor, Central Bldg., Sixth and Main sts.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Houses.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 7-ROOM BUNGALOW on 39th Place, near St. Andrews, worth $4800; $2300 mortgage payable 2 years. Rented $32.50 per month. Will take standard automobile or clear lot for equity. Owner, 929 BLACK BLDG. Hollywood 62.

FOR EXCHANGE — $2800 EQUITY IN MODERN Pasadena bungalow, splendidly located and occupied by steady, reliable renter; want clear lots or property. Address X, box 517, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—NEAT AND BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM bungalow in Highland Park near Branch Library. Will accept vacant lot or house and lot in other location. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, 426 Washington Bldg. Main 3335.

FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN NEW 5-ROOM BUNGAlow in Angeles Mesa; want vacant lot or unimproved land. Address WHITE, box 67, BEVERLY Hills, Cal. Phone 569138.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY IN MODERN 6-ROOM cottage, close in, Boyle Heights; want lot or small house to $2000. G. S. JENNISON, F2705, Main 5274.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY OF $2200 IN MODERN 7-room bungalow, beautifully finished, furnace, large garage; want clear lot. 4163 S. NORMANDIE AVE. Phone Vermont 3831.

FOR EXCHANGE — CLEAR, MODERN HOUSE, close in, Los Angeles, for 10 acres or more, good land at cash values. BANGLE, 514 Lissner Bldg. F3040.

FOR EXCHANGE—$3500 HOME IN KANSAS CITY, Mo., for bungalow in Los Angeles, or automobile and CASH. Phone BROADWAY 89 or 60506.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Beach Property.

FOR EXCHANGE— $50,000 clear property, Long Beach. Residence and industrial; want land. RAILWAY REALTY & INVESTMENT CO., 330 Merchants' National Bank Bldg., Sixth and Spring sts. Main 2846. F6257.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
Country Property.

FOR EXCHANGE—41 ACRES LAND, CHINO VALley, mile from station, deep silt soil; want Los Angeles bungalow or house, 7 rooms, southwest. What have you? Address X, box 507, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE — ANTELOPE VALLEY LAND, improved, near Lancaster, for platted or ready to plat, Los Angeles or vicinity. P. E. BERRY, San Pedro, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES OF GOOD LAND IN Presidio county, clear, for Los Angeles or vicinity. F. E. PURCELL, 10483.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate Miscellaneous.

FOR EXCHANGE—BETWEEN 6 AND 9 O'CLOCK Saturday evenings The Times' telephone switchboard is swamped with "Want ads." Avoid delay by telephoning your Sunday ads Friday or early Saturday.

FOR EXCHANGE—TO EXCHANGE YOUR PROPerty see BROWN, 803 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXCHANGE your present property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L.A.R.B.

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AVOCADOS ARE THE BIGGEST PAYING FRUIT in the world; $250 cash and $25 per month will give you an interest in our avocado business that will bring you large returns. Write MR. GREEN, 610 Bumiller Bldg. 430 S. Broadway.

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Of Many Kinds Unclassified.

SECOND-HAND SHOWCASES, ONE ENTIRE FLOOR of bargains. See WEBER'S SHOWCASE AND FIXTURE CO., 316-330 S. Los Angeles st.

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BILLIARD HALL FOR SALE AT A GENUINE BARgain if taken at once. Address 227 ORANGE ST., Redlands, Cal.

$350 BUYS CIGAR STAND, RENT $40; NO FIXtures to buy. Good business, in front of bar. 608 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS PAYING BAKERY, ALL counter trade, receipts $400 per month. Reason want to retire. Address D, box 214, TIMES OFFICE.

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CROCKETT & MARSH, 202½ S. BROADWAY. Suite 205. Titles Guaranteed. Main 1780, F1820.
$150—Lunch counter, confectionery. Rent $5. Snap.
$250—Restaurant, pay roll town, good prices.
$700—Market, fine equipment, daily receipts $50.
$850—Grocery, daily receipts $20. Rent $15.
$2000—Cafe, heart city, $50 daily. Trial.
$350—Bakery, fully equipped, good location. Snap.
$800—Blacksmith shop, splendid outfit. Worth $1000.
$475—Electric shoe shop, clearing $150 month.
$300—Kosher restaurant, fine location. Rent $15.
$1350—Grocery, apartment district, $350, fixtures, clean stock, four living rooms, $25 daily.
$1400—Cigar stand, doing $35 daily, clean stock. Owner 3½ years, real bargain.
CROCKETT & MARSH, 202½ S. Broadway. Titles guaranteed.

$250—BAKERY, LUNCH, BEACH, LIVING QUARters. Snap.
$250—CLEANING, DYEING, tailoring, clearing $100 monthly.
$350—HALF INTEREST, sign writing business, investigate.
$800—BUTTER, EGG, milk route, six-room house, rent $20. Receipts $1500 monthly.
$900—CAFE prosperous town, receipts $35 daily.
$1200—GROCERY, four living rooms, rent $25, dandy equipment. Receipts $40 daily. Investigate.
$3500—GROCERY, MARKET, exchange clear property. Submit.
$1000—CREAMERY, MILK ROUTE, clearing $175 monthly.
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FOR SALE—THE MOST PROFITABLE GROCERY business in Southern California, doing a business of $70,000 per year, ¼ of sales cash, balance 30 days, loss from bad accounts practically nothing. delivery cost very small; community prosperous; stock carried $5000, fixtures $1750, all new; rent $85, can be reduced; three men employed, average salary $80 per month; two partners also work; $2500 cash will handle this business. This is positively reliable and will stand up to strictest investigations. See me promptly. N. A. ROSS, 315 Consolidated Realty Bldg. F2879, Main 784.

COMPLETE STOCK OF FINE FIELD AND GARden seeds, in packets and bulk, and fixtures for retail store, for sale, or will trade for good clear real estate, or anything I can use. Will invoice over $1200 at cost or can reduce to suit, or can increase with poultry supplies. Would accept equity in first-class, strictly modern bungalow, well located, for my own use. Stock must be moved. Quick action necessary. TOMPKINS & CO., 705 S. Griffin ave. East 478, Home 31567.

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF those handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books issued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "Rediphone" only will be delivered to each customer.

FOR SALE — DRY GOODS, MEN'S FURNISHINGS and shoe store at big sacrifice, either in lump or at invoice, about $6000. Stock and $700 fixtures. Practically the only store of its kind in the town. For immediate sale, $4000 cash or 80c on the dollar. Address OWNER, P. O. Box 375, Oceanside, San Diego county, Cal., or call at store next to bank.

WANTED—TO INTEREST SOME ONE WITH FEW thousand dollars in best business proposition in Los Angeles, legitimate, high-class, no competition; profits enormous and absolutely no risk. This is not a scheme, but straightforward business proposition of merit. Bank and personal references. Address F, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

SUBURBAN GROCERY ON TWO BOULEVARDS, near school; good business, small stock at invoice; fixtures including delivery auto and chickens, $450; 5 living-rooms and large yard, rent $15. Call at 2020 E. SEVENTH ST.

FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE WANTS TO MEET party that will take agency for Southern California on best medium-priced automobile built; this is a real live proposition, and worthy sincere consideration by best dealers. Address 752 HARTFORD AVE.

FOR SALE — GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORE near Los Angeles, stock $8000; will sacrifice for $4500 cash; no fixtures to buy, they go with the building at a nominal rental, which income from postoffice pays. For particulars address owner, box 375, OCEANSIDE, Cal. Phone Main 28.

$600 BUYS A NEAT UP-TO-DATE CONFECTIONery, cigar, ice cream and dining parlor, in good beach town, on State highway; only business of its kind in town; nice place for man and wife; deal direct with owner. Address F, box 29, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—PART CASH, OFFICE business, fixtures, stock and well-established business, price $1500; established 5 years; good income for a responsible party; preferably a nurse. MAIN 8092 after 9 a.m., except Sunday.

FOR SALE—SECOND OLDEST MONTHLY ON PAcific Coast in sound financial condition, by owner whose other interests demand attention, or will dispose of half interest to one of managerial ability. Address E, box 246, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—JEWELRY STORE IN THE BEST mining town in Arizona. Population 5000, store location the best, no optician, watch work about $200 per month, a snap for some one, for full particulars address YY, box 113, TIMES OFFICE.

NOTICE—THE FINEST BUSINESS CHANCE IN LOS Angeles ever offered, a retail bakery doing fine trade; a beautiful corner lot, midst of four car lines; all improvements. Apply 5125 VERMONT AVE.

POOL HALL, FOUR TABLES, CIGAR STAND, fully equipped doing $5 profit per day, no competition, Sunset blvd., near Echo Park ave. Price $1000. Call 1560 SUNSET BLVD. Phone 53883. Wilshire 4509. Camp.

FREE RENT TO START. LOW RENT TO KEEP you, winner location at depot, and theater, nearby town. TRUNKDOM TRUNK CO., 619 S. Spring. Sell, exchange, repair, trunks, bags, suitcases. Make everlasting rattan trunks, sample cases.

FOR SALE—BUTTER STORE DOING GOOD BUSIness, good location, long lease, cheap rent, fine for man and wife, season just beginning, have other business. Address X, box 543, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—GROCERY, GOOD LOCATION, IN town. Low rent. Good fixtures. Also house and machine. Must leave city. Address F, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE—POOL ROOM OF THREE tables; lodging house 16 rooms; public bath; one chair barber shop. Call at 1722 EAST SEVENTH STREET.

FOR SALE—BEST ESTABLISHED POCKET BILliard hall and cigar store with cheapest lease in Pasadena, requires $5500 cash. Owner retiring from business. Call at 309 S. SAN PEDRO ST., City.

GARAGE FOR SALE—GARAGE IN SAN JOAQUIN Valley town located on State highway and main traveled road, doing good business. Will sell at inventory. Owner leaving country. Address Z, box 90, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—2-CHAIR BARBER SHOP AND CIGAR stand; everything complete; established 5 years; good trade; good neighborhood; bargain if sold at once; legitimate reason for selling. Call at 1010 S. VALENCIA ST.

RESTAURANT FOR SALE — FITTED, COMPLETE, seats 38, cost $1000 to fit up; price $175; free and clear; low rent, 2-year lease. Owner at restaurant, 807 S. SPRING ST.

RESTAURANT, SUBURBAN TOWN. MEALS 25c UP. Receipts $40 daily. Seats 70. High class fixtures. Price $550. Very easy terms. 703½ SOUTH BROADWAY.

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FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE, GOOD PAYING BUSIness in Santa Barbara, or will trade; bears closest investigation; what have you to offer? Postoffice box 125, SANTA BARBARA.

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MEAT MARKET, GUARANTEE OVER $50 DAILY; living-rooms and rent only $16. Price $650. 608 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

FOR SALE—LUNCH ROOM, NINE STOOLS, REAsonable price. Good for man and wife. 150½ N. SPRING.

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CHEAP— IT GETS THE MONEY, NEAT 10 GALlon capacity churn outfit with motor, will teach you to make butter. Call 3121 MAPLE AVE.

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CIGAR STAND, LONG LEASE, CHEAP RENT, good business for steady man. 307 W. SECOND. Going north account other business.

WANTED — A GOOD TAILOR, BUILDING AND equipment furnished. Apply to UEDE JACOBS, Elsinore, Cal.

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FOR SALE—AT YOUR OWN PRICE. A RESTAURANT WITH A1 LIQUOR LICENSE. APPLY 304 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—SHOE SHOP, CASH PRICE, $275. 2017 W. SEVENTH ST.

CIGAR STAND, FRONT OF BAR. BY OWNER, 317 S. MAIN.

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FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS PAYING BUSINESS IN Calexico, cash. T. A. EGGLESTON.

FOR SALE—GROCERY AND FRUIT STAND, CHEAP. 109 S. BROADWAY.

RETAIL BAKERY, FINE FIXTURES, GOOD LOcation, counter trade. Phone HOLLY 2397.

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FOR SALE—OR PART EXCHANGE—DRY GOODS and furnishing business, stock $11,000, absolute money making proposition. Stand every investigation. See IRVING TURNER, 253 S. Los Angeles street.

CHANCE FOR RELIABLE MAN, REFERENCES, services and just little money, buy half substantial, genteel, high established business. Never cleared less $97 weekly. Particulars, 201 GRANT BLDG.

FOR SALE—$400 CASH, CAFETERIA, DELICACY and groceries, located in apartment house district and in building where 300 people are employed; fine opportunity for right parties. 513 E. 12TH ST. No agents.

CHEAP FOR CASH, FINE GROCERY IN GOOD location, including fixtures and butcher outfit; also horse, wagon and harness; $500 will handle it. R. FORER CO., 201 N. Spring st. Phones, F5449, Broadway 4279.

FINE PICTURE THEATER, GOOD LOCATION, WITH long lease, owner must leave city at once. Wishes to sell it, very low price, good chance to invest your money. Address 220 EAST FIRST ST.

MUST SELL, HAVE $1000 WORTH OF 8 PER cent preferred participating shares. This is a local industrial stock which will bear close investigation. I will sell all or part. Address TY, box 476, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

I HAVE ONE OF THE BEST ESTABLISHED BUSIness broker's offices in the city, with a clean record of 4 years in the same place; only a good, clean, aggressive man considered. RATTRAY, 910 Title Insurance Bldg.

WANTED—MAN TO REPRESENT EASTERN FACtory in Southern California, good opening for right man; will consider automobile as part payment; $500 required. Address EV, box 438, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN TO REPRESENT EASTERN FACtory in Southern California. $500 required. Good opportunity. Call 610 BUMILLER BLDG. 430 S. Broadway.

$250 CASH AND $25 PER MONTH WILL GIVE YOU an interest in our avocado business that will make you rich. Write MR. GREEN, 610 Bumiller Bldg. 430 S. Broadway.

CONFECTIONERY, RESTAURANT, SUBURBAN city. Large automobile trade. Clearing over $200 per month (winter) and $350 (summer.) Stand investigation. Price $2500. Easy terms. 703½ S. BROADWAY.

$250—LUNCHROOM AND COFFEE HOUSE, NEAR busy corner, good for $4 daily profit; very neat and attractive. Good fixtures. 209 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring street.

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FOR SALE—DRY GOODS AND FURNISHING BUSIness, stock $1800. Rent $30. 10 miles from Los Angeles. Money maker, long established. See IRVING TURNER, 253 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE — $600 WILL BUY ONE OF THE largest coat hanger manufacturers in town; will pay to investigate; must sell immediately. Apply 805 S. SAN PEDRO ST.

GROCERY AT INVOICE (ABOUT $800,) AVERaging $20 daily, all cash. Pleasant living quarters. Present owner three years, apartment-house section. 208 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—COMPLETE PRINTING PLANT, CENtrally located; price $650; will invoice three times this amount. See BUTTRESS & McCLELLAN, 205 N. Los Angeles st.

LADIES' HAIRDRESSING PARLORS FOR SALE AT $400 in San Diego. Modern, up-to-date, moneymaking establishment. Address 506 OWL DRUG BLDG., San Diego.

EXCLUSIVE SHOE STORE—ESTABLISHED BUSIness in small town. Doing good business. Special reason for selling. Ideal health location. Address P, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

$550—CIGAR AN PERIODICAL STAND IN LARGE downtown hotel, clearing $125 month. Long lease. Big stock of staple goods. 208 DELTA BLDG., 426 S. Spring.

$475 — NOVELTY PRINTING BUSINESS, OPEN front, on busy street downtown, clearing over $5 per day; leaving city on account of death in family. 703½ S. BROADWAY.

SPLENDID PAYING DRY GOODS AND DEPARTment store in city of 16,000; part cash part exchange; about $9000. 603 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

BE AN EXCEPTION. Don't wait until the last moment to telephone your Sunday ads to The Times. Do it Friday or early Saturday.

FOR SALE—GOOD SALOON, WILL STAND INVEStigation, you are dealing with owner direct. Call at 728 MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 South Broadway. Phone Main 3409, F5189.

MUST DISPOSE OF GOOD PAYING INSURANCE business, will make terms; thirty-five thousand city Southern California. Address E, box 190, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$10,000, ONE OR SEVERAL PERSONS to market pure, bottled orange juice, completely equipped factory, several thousand bottles of juice on hand. HOME phone 556803.

BLACKSMITH SHOP WITH TOOLS, STOCK AND machinery for sale. Owner must go out of business on account of illness, good terms. Address B, box 244, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—CASH GROCERY, 2 FURNISHED LIVing rooms, nice cottage, near school; reason for selling sickness; price $650. Phone owner, WILSHIRE 4941.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—DELICATESSEN AND restaurant stored in San Diego, valued $500; will take rooming house, vacant lot or diamonds. Phone HOME A4373, ask for Room 19. No agents.

FOR SALE—HARDWARE— I have to sell my hardware stock and fixtures, fine corner, Garvanza 178. 6400 PASADENA AVE.

BAKERY. WE HAVE THE BIGGEST BARGAIN IN a bakery in this city. The first offer of $600 takes it. RATTRAY, 910 Title Insurance Bldg.

WILL SELL FIRST CLASS INSURANCE AGENCY, either cash or terms; good reasons for selling. Address E, box 254, TIMES OFFICE.

GROCERY DOING $100 CASH DAILY; WILL ACcept trade for fixtures and invoice stock. 603 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

ENCINO ACRES— THE BIGGEST VALUE EVER OFFERED.

TO LET—GARAGE, CALABASAS. APPLY L. KRAMER, Calabasas, store.

FOR SALE—LAUNDRY ROUTE, $350, PAYING $85 per month, close in, cash trade. VERMONT 2716.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED— I am an energetic and capable young man, have made a success of past business and have from $5000 to $10,000 which will invest in first-class business which will carry good executive position, bank preferred. Must allow few months time of working before investment will be made. Address F, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WILL PAY SPOT CASH FOR ANY amount or stocks of merchandise, groceries, fixtures or furniture, goods also sold on commission. R. FORER CO., Auction & Commission House, 201 N. Spring st. Phones, Broadway 4279, F5449.

WANTED— For quick action drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

SWAPS—
All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 4 GOOD 40-FOOT LOTS 2 blocks of car line on Compton ave., south of city, valued at $600 each. Want good car or clear property. Owner, 1311 NORTH ALVARADO. Wilshire 1359.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD CLEAR PROPERTY FOR piano; prefer player; may take auto if good. Address X, box 536, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—EQUITY $325 HOUSE, LOT, Graham station, for furniture or what? MRS. MAUSON. F6532.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED—LOT, AUTO, WHAT for $1000 equity modern bungalow, southwest, balance monthly, a big bargain today, sure. MOORE, 318 Story Bldg. Main 9319.

FOR EXCHANGE—AN OLD VIOLIN AND SOME cash for cheap lot, 599956, HOLLYWOOD 2664.

FOR EXCHANGE—DAVENPORT FOR CHICKENS, turkeys, phonograph or what? 1610 EAST 20TH.

FOR EXCHANGE—ORDER ON LEADING DENTIST, a pyorrhea specialist, for diamond. Phone A3575.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements

MONEY TO LOAN—$400, $1500, $1600, $2000, AT 7 per cent. See me for loan. A. BOKKER, 522 H. W. Hellman Bldg. M. 4864.

MONEY TO LOAN—CITY OR COUNTRY, BIG OR little. We await your application. J. C. OLIVER, 430 Chamber of Commerce.

FROM $100 TO $1500 ON CITY PROPERTY; ALSO small second loans; quick action. DE LA PENA, 219 Union Oil Bldg.

PRIVATE MONEY, 5½ TO 7; CITY, COUNTRY, OR building loans. LOCKHART & SON, 731 H. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776. Main 5578.

FARNSWORTH BROS. MAKE LOANS ON REAL estate. Building loans a specialty. 1026 VAN NUYS BUILDING. Home F1209. Main 4096.

PRIVATE MONEY, LARGE OR SMALL AMOUNTS, first or second mortgages. MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CO., 411 Investment Bldg. 63299.

PLENTY OF PRIVATE MONEY—7 PER CENT. F. H. EVARTS, A4959; Main 4069. 802 Van Nuys Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN WITHOUT COMMISSION, $2000, $1200, 7 per cent. Address E, box 283, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN ON COUNTRY PROPERTY. See R. E. KITCHING, 403 Germain Bldg. A2835.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS. MONEY waiting. ERNEST R. FAIR CO., 517 Grant Bldg. F8296.

TO LOAN—CLIENTS' MONEY ALWAYS ON HAND. IRVING L. MAYER, F1165; Bdwy. 3564. 223 Story Bldg.

MONEY WAITING. SUBURBAN OR CITY LOANS. CAMPBELL, 519 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 11130; Main 7778.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Real Estate and Improvements

QUICK LOANS— SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.

If you need money for taxes, interest or for any other purpose, we will loan you $50 to $1000 at lowest rates. You can repay as convenient, reducing interest. Our own money. No commission. No title fees. Money same day you apply. We want applications direct from owners and can save them all excessive charges. WATERMAN & CO., 904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg., Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS ON REAL estate in Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000, at moderate rates. We loan our own capital and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners. WINTER INVESTMENT COMPANY, 1109 I. N. Van Nuys Bldg. F3583. Broadway 5996.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE. Lots, residences, apartments, stores, flats, ranches. IN SUMS OF $50 TO $50,000 AND UP. Cash for first mortgages. Straight building loans a specialty. Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent, and up. We act as brokers, placing very large loans. Commission charged on every loan. CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE COMPANY, 426 Washington Bldg. Phone Main 3335.

I WISH TO MAKE SEVERAL SECOND MORTGAGE loans or $250 to $2500 each at much less than usual rates for short or long time, or installment loans on improved city property. No commission, no escrow, no bonus, no delay, actual money in your hands within 24 hours; a square deal. Also will make building loans of $1000 to $3000 each. Call 628-629 Chamber of Commerce Bldg. Phone A1206.

BUILDING LOANS. MAKE YOUR LOT EARN YOUR rent or an income. We will build to suit and finance entire cost; or will build on our own lots, Wilshire section, on cash and convenient terms. Mr. Conners, Loan & Building Dept., ROMBOTIS INVESTMENT CO., 67858. 628 Van Nuys Bldg. Bdwy. 142.

MONEY TO LOAN—WE HAVE $25,000 TO PLACE on improved ranches in Covina, Pomona, Ontario, Corona and Perris districts. Prefer loans under $5000 and favor alfalfa ranches. RANSFORD LEWIS, with 210 Haas Bldg. THOS. C. BUNDY & COMPANY. 60545, Bdwy. 8385.

MONEY TO LOAN— MORTGAGES, LOANS, BUILDING LOANS } at current rates. JOSEPH M. GORE CO., 807-808 L. A. Investment Bldg. Main 4161. PHONES Home F2012.

6 PER CENT. 7 PER CENT. Improved city or country, $5000 and up. Prefer to deal with owners direct. WESLEY C. GREEN, 1011 Trust and Savings Bldg. A5924.

MONEY TO LOAN— We have money which must be loaned quickly on good security, will loan to 50 per cent. value; money for building loans is available. Mr. Foster, Mgr. WILLIAM W. WIDENHAM CO., 202-3-4 Story Bldg.

HAVE AMPLE PRIVATE MONEY AVAILABLE IMmediately first or second mortgage loans. No delays. Mr. Conners, Loan Dept., ROMBOTIS INVESTMENT CO., 67858. 628 Van Nuys Bldg. Bdwy. 142.

BUILDING LOANS—IF YOUR LOT is clear, or nearly so, we loan full cost of house, straight mortgage or monthly payments. WESTON, 607 Lankershim Bldg. Main 2648.

IMPROVE THAT VACANT LOT— We furnish the money and build you the building. M. S. YEAGER, F4182. 303 Trust & Savings Bldg. Main 72.

TO LOAN—$7000, 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, IMproved property, Hollywood, Beverly Hills or Wilshire district. Private money. Give location and full description for prompt answer. Address PX, box 415, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY ALways on hand. Will buy trust deeds and contracts. Prompt action. No delay. ALLEN INVESTMENT CO., 510 Trust and Savings Bldg. A4498. Main 8709.

WANTED—APPLICATIONS FOR GOOD CITY OR ranch loans. Large amount private money on hand. 7 per cent. No charge for inspection, drawing papers or notary. 702 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG. F2544.

MONEY TO LOAN— $6000 for one or two flat, or residence loans, anywhere in Los Angeles; providing it is good; 7 per cent. interest. Would like to meet owners personally. W. A. BUCHANAN, 709 Hollingsworth Bldg., Sixth and Hill. A4289, Broadway 787.

I HAVE $15,000 IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE IN sums of $2500 up, or as a whole; for city or close-in improved country properties. These funds are at my personal disposition; interest 6 to 7 per cent. G. C. HIGBIE, 404 Hollingsworth Bldg. 62531. Main 4258.

MONEY TO LOAN— Our own funds—Current rates. FIRST MORTGAGES—SECOND TRUST DEEDS. City or Country. LAND MORTGAGE CORPORATION, 605 Trust & Sav. Bldg., Sixth and Spring.

MONEY TO LOAN— On improved city property. Or for building on easy terms of repayment. STATE MUTUAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, 229 S. Spring st.

TO LOAN—$150,000—CITY OR RANCHES. $500 TO $100,000, 6 AND 7 PER CENT. PROMPT REPORTS ON APPLICATIONS. HUGH K. WALKER, JR. S. R. EARNEST. S. R. EARNEST & COMPANY, 831 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. A4757—MAIN 5555.

MONEY TO LOAN—WE HAVE $100,000, IN ANY amount, at 6 and 7 per cent. Bring your applications to DUNLAY REALTY COMPANY, 60548. 316 Story Bldg. Main 7906.

TO LOAN — $1000 TO $50,000 ON CITY AND country real estate at current rates. A2180; M'CONNELL & IRVINE, Main 2180. 835 Security Bldg.

K. W. POINDEXTER, 409 WILCOX BLDG. LOANS on real estate or stocks and bonds; building loans a specialty. If you want to lend or borrow see me. Reference First National Bank.

ACTUAL FUNDS— Any amount, city or country. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 820-21 Story Bldg. Main 7469, 60521.

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT OR improved, building loans a specialty, current rates. CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO., F8121. 504-505 Bradbury Bldg. Main 2715.

MONEY TO LOAN—HAVE $7000 TO LOAN AT 6 or 6½ per cent. Must be on good, well improved property. Call 625 VAN NUYS BLDG., or Phone F6426. Main 5025.

PRIVATE MONEY, 5 TO 7 PER CENT., $500 TO $60,000, without commission; also second mortgages. 201 AMERICAN BANK BLDG., Second and Spring.

TO LOAN—$2000, $2500, $3000, $5000, INTERest 7; money waiting; quick action. $2200 trust deed for sale, discount $400; gilt edge. BAIERSKI, 203 Bryson Bldg.

NO COMMISSION CHARGED FOR BUILDING LOANS or improved real estate; city or country, reasonable, no stalling. MR. BROWN, 310 Hollingsworth Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—HAVE PRIVATE MONEY amounts $500, $800, $900, $1000, $1200, $1300 and large sums up to $20,000. Phone 66413. 240 BYRNE BLDG.

MONEY TO LOAN— I have plenty of money for first mortgages; also make specialty of second mortgages and building loans. J. C. HOVIS, 236-237 Bradbury Bldg.

TO LOAN—ON OWNER'S HOME, $2000, NOT more than 40 per cent. valuation; commission charged. Address LC, box 326, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED CITY PROPerty at 6 and 7 per cent., any amount. GOODRICH REALTY CO., 2004 E. First st. 41890, Boyle 1182.

I HAVE SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS TO LOAN. Owners only, commission charged. Not over 40 per cent. valuation. F8967.

PRIVATE MONEY TO LOAN—LOWEST RATES. Broadway 2972. BRUNTON. F5163. 1205 Citizens National Bank Bldg.

TO LOAN—$1000 TO $300,000. CITY; $2000 TO $10,000, $15,000, ranches. CHAPPEL-CHAPPEL, 616 Lissner Bldg.

TO LOAN—$2500 AT 7 PER CENT., ON GOOD ranch in San Gabriel Valley. Principals only. Phone MAIN 813.

TO LOAN—$1000 AT 7 PER CENT., ON VACANT lot, actually worth $2000, with street improvements in and paid for. Owners only, call F2023.

PLENTY MONEY FOR SECOND MORTGAGES OR trust deeds, no commission. MR. HAWORTH, 2642 S. Vermont ave.

$400 ALSO $1200 TO LOAN OWNER, AT 7 PER cent. Phone today, BOYLE 78.

$3000, $5000, $10,000, $25,000 TO LOAN, 7 PER cent. HARRY JACKINS, 615 Union Oil Bldg.

MONEY LOANED—CONTRACTS AND MORTGAGES bought. ALBERT M'CALL, 314 Bullard Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries, Chattels and Collateral.

PRIVATE MONEY ADVANCED WITHOUT SECURity to reliable salaried men on their own note, without indorsement or mortgage or assignment of salary, and on much better than usual terms. No delay and absolutely no publicity. Call 628 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG.

DIAMOND AND JEWELRY LOANS— 2 per cent., absolutely no other charges, safe, reliable and courteous treatment. W. L. WHEDON, Manager, 402 Trust and Savings Bldg. Sixth and Spring.

MR. DROLLINGER MAKES QUICK AUTOMOBILE loans, purchases automobile contracts and partly finances purchases, no storage. 1207 W. THIRD, mornings. Phones: 10108, Main 884.

MONEY LOANED ON DIAMONDS AND OTHER COLlateral. 2 per cent. per month only. PROVIDENT PLEDGE CORPORATION, 312 Union Oil Bldg. Third floor.

TO LOAN—PRIVATE PARTY WILL LOAN MONEY on automobiles, strictly confidential and money same day. See proprietor, TRUMAN GARAGE, 917 S. Hoover st. Phone Wilshire 5297.

PRIVATE MONEY LOANED ON AUTOMOBILES, furniture and ranch stock; any amount, easy terms. MR. SMITH, 508 Van Nuys Bldg. Hours 10 to 12:30. F3760. Main 1451.

MONEY LOANED ON LATE MODEL AUTOMOBILES, or we buy them outright for cash. 607 AMERICAN BANK BLDG.

MONEY LOANED ON DIAMONDS, PEARLS, JEWelry, silverware, pianos, automobiles, etc. MARKWELL & CO., 300 Citizens' Bank Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN—
Salaries, Chattels and Collateral.

MONEY ON SHORT NOTICE. NO MORTGAGE on your furniture or ASSIGNMENT of your wages.
12 payments of $2.85 pays a $25 loan in full.
12 payments of $5.40 pays a $50 loan in full.
Larger amounts same low rates. Call, write or phone Main 2474 or A5912. GUARANTEE LOAN CO., Room 409, Title Insurance Bldg., cor. 5th & Spring.

MONEY LOANED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, 1 TO 2 per cent. Absolutely no other charges. Furniture, pianos, automobiles in storage. Lowest rate real estate. Reliable, 20 years in business. Loan own money. Bank references. THEO. J. WELK, 206 Bradbury Bldg., 3rd and Broadway. A2102; Main 8577.

DIAMONDS ARE SAFE LEFT WITH US. INTEREST 1 TO 2 PER CENT. MONTH. No other charges. KUSEL LOAN CO., Established 14 years. Private rooms. OUR REFERENCES, ANY CITY BANK OR JEWELRY FIRM. DIAMONDS kept HELLMAN Bank deposit vault. 306-7 STIMSON BLDG., 3RD AND SPRING.

IF YOU WANT A RELIABLE PLACE TO BORROW money in small amounts, you will make no mistake by coming to us. Easy weekly or monthly payments. Let us tell you more about it at our office. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY, 500 Security Bldg., 510 S. Spring st. Phones: F6512; Main 4018.

QUICK CONFIDENTIAL LOANS ON EASY MONTHly or weekly payments plan to people owning a piano or household furniture. Call, phone, or write. Hours 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. FIDELITY LOAN COMPANY, F3421. 529 Mason Bldg. Bdwy. 5171. S. E. Cor. Fourth and Bdwy. Entrance Fourth st.

LOANS ON DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, sporting goods, 2 per cent. No other charges. 205 UNION OIL BLDG.

LOAN ON DIAMONDS; CONFIDENTIAL; BANK REFerences. FRITCH-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—$15,000, 7 PER CENT., FINE INCOME PROPERTY ON HOLLYWOOD BLVD. THIS IS A VERY CONSERVATIVE LOAN AND WILL BE BACKED BY PERSONS OF VERY WELL KNOWN FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY. IN MOST DESIRABLE SECTION OF HOLLYWOOD. $2100—8 PER CENT., TRUST DEED, 15 LOTS GLASSELL PARK. VALUE $7500. GOOD MORAL RISK. WINNE & RULE, LOAN DEPARTMENT, ROBERT MARSH & CO., 10175. 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. MAIN 5045.

WANTED—
$2000—8; income bus. prop., cor Moneta..$5500
$2500—7; Pico st. residence $6000
$3000—12; Adams, Hobart, lot 50x175......$6000
$4500—8; new, inc. $95; Vernon, Vermont..$11,000
$6000—8; full-bearing lemon grove $20,000
$10,000—8; 640 acres, this county, A1....$53,200
Also want $2800, $5000 and $7000. Main 2664. CHAPPEL, 616 Lissner Bldg.

WANTED—$4500, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., ON close in improved property on 23d street, consisting of a two-story, 24-room apartment building, income $120 per month. Value $11,000. Call at 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. A4289. Broadway 787.

WANTED—MONEY: $8500, THREE YEARS AT 7 per cent., on beautiful home, Brentwood district, Santa Monica. Value $18,000. Moral risk exceptional. Principals only. R. LEWIS, 210 Haas Bldg. 60545.

WANTED—$650; PAY 12 PER CENT. INTEREST and $25 commission, first mortgage, on two nice lots in Huntington Park; street work in, sidewalks and curbs all paid; half block of car line. Value $1500. WALTER FRANKLIN, 228 Bradbury Bldg. 65689. Main 1647.

WANTED—MONEY, $6800 AT 8 PER CENT., ON 30-room modern apartment-house, southwest; disappearing beds, woodstone sinks, etc.; value $15,000; a fine loan. 625 VAN NUYS BLDG. F6426. Main 5025.

WANTED—MONEY— Wanted, $1000, 7 per cent., on modern bungalow occupied by owner as his home. Near Garvanza yellow car. 501 WASHINGTON BLDG.

WANTED—$1250, 3 YEARS, AT 7 PER CENT., 5-room large bungalow, insurance $1000, rented $16; good location. Want to deal direct; see owner's representative, 218 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG. F3560, Main 4509.

WANTED—PRIVATE PARTIES HAVING MONEY to loan in any amount. We can offer you some splendid loans both city and country. No expense. We make personal inspection. F2544. 702 TRUST & SAVINGS BLDG.

WANTED—$1800 FIRST MORTGAGE, OWNER'S 10-room double house, on 47th st., lot 50x150; value $4500; principals call MISS FAIR, 519 Grant Bldg. Main 1447, 60290.

WANTED — $6000, 7 PER CENT., ON 4-FLAT building, Wilshire district, just completed; value $12,500; also want $2000, 8 per cent. No commission. PHONE 31601.

WANTED—$50,000, FIVE YEARS, 7 PER CENT. country property. Value $200,000. Income $12,000. No agents. Address Y, box 306, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BORROW, $850 AT 8 PER cent., 2 years. First mortgage, $25 bonus. Security, Newport Beach lot. All improved. Lot valued at $800. Address V, box 454, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$1900 LOAN, 245 NORTH ANDERSON, Lot 53, Meyer tract, 40x130. Income $16 month, worth over $3500. Pay 8 per cent. Agents list. 403 STORY BLDG. Phone 11926.

WANTED — $12,000, HOLLYWOOD BUNGALOW court, corner Franklin and Van Ness, 4 new bungalows, rent $140. Value $25,000. Address F, box 15, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$35,000, 7 PER CENT., REAL ESTATE first mortgage, security $100,000. N. A. ROSS, F2879. Main 784. 315 Consolidated Realty Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY, $600 FOR ONE YEAR, SEcured by $2000 equity on well located 6-room modern Pasadena home. Address X, box 551, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$900, 2 PER CENT. MONTH, TRUST deed, for 6 months, Grand ave., near Sunset blvd. Flat building; rent $40. Value $4500. Mtg. $1800, 7 per cent. A3821, M. 3332.

WANTED—OWNERS ONLY, IMPROVED, 25-PER-cent. loan, $3000, 6 per cent., or take $4000 at 6½ per cent. YOUNG, A1031, Main 8855.

WANTED — $5000 LOAN ON CITY IMPROVED, close in, 7 per cent., for 2 or 3 years. Address Y, box 164, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FROM PRIVATE PARTY ONLY, $7500 on $20,000 Westlake property; A1 security. Address Box 614, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—$17,500 AT 7 PER CENT., ON 20 acres, San Dimas orange grove. Owner, address X, box 516, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$8500, $8000 AND $2500, FIRST-CLASS security. FRANK L. FRARY, 228 Van Nuys Bldg. A3059.

WANTED—TO BORROW $600 EACH ON 3 LOTS; also $5000 on flats; also $6000 on Wilshire residence; private party. 73839, WEST 3687.

WANTED—$1800, 7 PER CENT., ON THREE lots, southwest. Address X, box 523, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$8000, 7 PER CENT., FIGUEROA ST. lot. Value $17,500. MAIN 950, A1285.

WANTED—$18,000, CITY, CLOSE IN, IMPROVED income, $400 per month. No brokers. Address F, box 136, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$600 ON TRUST DEED AT 2 PER CENT. month; first mortgage $2000; 3 years, at 7; valuation $5000. Call 404 GRANT BLDG.

WANTED—$4000, TWO HOLLYWOOD CORNERS, $10,000. 7 per cent. MAIN 950, A1285.

WANTED—$500, 3 YEARS, 7 PER CENT., FOUR for one loan, two large level lots, Huntington Park. HARRIS. Main 5224. A4701.

WANTED—MONEY: HAVE NEW UPRIGHT PIANO, cost $400. Want $200 for 60 days. Address Y, box 802, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—$12,500 ON $27,500, CITY, 7 PER cent. Owners only. MAIN 950, A1285.

WANTED—$35,000, HIGH GRADE HOLLYWOOD mansion. Value $125,000. Address E, box 201, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $3000, FIRST MORTGAGE on 1 or 2 pieces of property at 7¼ per cent. Address BB, box 189, TIMES OFFICE.

STOCKS AND BONDS—

NOTICE—SIERRA MADRE WATER COMPANY bonds, dated May 1, 1901, described in trust deed to the undersigned, recorded in book 735, page 92, of mortgages, records of Los Angeles county, California, contain the following clause: "The said Sierra Madre Water Company reserves the right to pay at its discretion all bonds remaining unpaid May 1st, 1916, by paying a sum equal to one year's interest, in addition to the principal and interest due at the time of such payment." Sierra Madre Water Company has elected to exercise its said right on May 1, 1916, and has deposited sufficient funds with the undersigned for that purpose; therefore bondholders should on or before said date present said bonds to the undersigned for payment, as no interest will accrue or be paid thereon after said date. TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, Title Insurance Bldg., Spring and Fifth sts., Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED— L. A. PUBLIC MARKET STOCK. Will exchange clear high-class local real estate for above stock at cash value. Might add some cash. Handle any deal, $5000 to $50,000. See MR. BUNDY, 210 Haas Bldg. THOS. C. BUNDY & CO. 60545—Bdwy. 8385.

WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICES FOR STREET improvement bonds. RIPPEY & RIPPEY, Hollingsworth Bldg.

WE HAVE CASH ORDERS TO BUY YELLOW PINE, Azalia, Lakeview oil, No. 2. WILLARD, 623 S. Spring. 14515.

FOR EXCHANGE—OATMAN MINING STOCK FOR automobile or real estate. 349 S. PECAN ST.

FOR SALE—7 PER CENT. STREET BONDS. HARRY SHLAUDEMAN, 432 I. W. Hellman Bldg. F1301.

MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, ETC.
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—HAVE TRUST DEED FOR $250, DUE 3 months, will discount $75; secured by lot at Santa Monica, 50x150, street work all in and paid. Value $1250; mortgage $500, due one year. ALLEN, A3821; Main 3332.

FOR SALE—TRUST DEED, $1000, A1, DISCOUNT 10 per cent. Must have money. Phone M. 1533.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—MERRY-GO-ROUND, CHEAP. ADDRESS E. SCHAFER, R.D. 8, box 100, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

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$7,000,000 Estate.

COURT ORDERS PARTITION OF DE BAKER PROPERTIES.

JUDGE SHENK yesterday granted an interlocutory decree of dispartition in the $7,000,000 Arcadia B. de Baker estate. This was reached after a conference at which the principal heirs were present or represented by attorneys. Under this decree the vast estate, which comprises business blocks, ranches, residences and varied interests, will not be sold, but will be apportioned among the various heirs. The three referees who will have this important task to perform will be announced later.

Mrs. de Baker left many heirs, and because of the number, the best method of distributing the estate caused much thought. There was an objection to converting the large holdings into cash, as it was thought by some of the heirs that more could be realized if the specific property could be distributed.

Yesterday's result followed the outcome of the action brought by Ysidore Couts Fuller against the other De Baker heirs, to establish the undivided interest in the various pieces of property comprising the estate, which the heirs-at-law held individually.

Mrs. Dolores B. de Johnson, a sister of Mrs. de Baker, will receive one-tenth of the estate. The next largest holder is Robert M. Bandini, a grandnephew, who jumped into a fortune from obscurity. His attorneys, who discovered him, will receive a percentage of his interest for their services.

The list of heirs includes Mrs. Dolores B. de Johnson, Robert M. Bandini, Ralph and Elliott Bandini, Arcadia B. de Gaffey, Dolores B. de Ward, Juan B. Bandini, M. J. Angell, Josefa B. Thomas, Sara B. Freeman, Arcadia Smurr, Dolores C. Craner, Juan J. Carrillo, Lincoln L. Boone (trustee for Maria A. Scott,) Caroline M. Winston, Elena J. Dear, John F. Couts, Robert L. Couts, Ysidore C. Fuller, Gove J. Couts, William B. Couts, Estrella Dowling, Concepcion Carrillo, John B. Winston, Mamie W. Ogden, Virginia W. Castle, Margaret W. Ogden, Carolina Winston, Julia W. Flowers, Marion J. Winston, Louise B. Winston, Rosario B. Winston, James Wallace Winston, William Lawrence Winston, Amanda Leiva, Jessie K. Fleger, Laura F. Carrillo, Alfredo B. Carrillo, Nosta Carrillo, Pedro C. Carrillo and Alfredo Carrillo.

Big Field.

RUSSIA'S TRADE WAITS OUR CALL.

GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR THIS COUNTRY AFTER WAR.

Such is Opinion of President of Chamber of Exports at Petrograd. Believes Americans Should Commercially Invade Czar's Land and Reap Rewards.

That Russia will offer the United States its greatest opportunity for expansion of foreign commerce after the close of the European war is the firm belief of B. de Denissow, president of the Chamber of Exports of Petrograd. He is now a visitor in Los Angeles, a guest at the Hotel Clark, and is on a world's tour for the purpose of investigating commercial conditions.

Mr. De Denissow believes that in the readjustment of tariffs certain to come to all European countries engaged in war the United States will not suffer at the hands of Russia—that existing schedules will be maintained, and that this will be very favorable to this country in the development of a great expansion of trade with Russia. He believes that the time will be extremely opportune for American business men to make a commercial invasion of Russia, which has great natural riches, a population of 170,000,000, a disposition to treat liberally with foreigners and destined to be a great prize in the world's markets. He also believes that American investments in Russian development projects will reap rich rewards.

Mr. De Denissow came here from the Orient after having visited Japan, China, Java, India, Australia and other far-eastern countries. He expects to be in the United States for four months interviewing leading importers, exporters, capitalists and commercial organizations. He was a visitor at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, where he obtained data from Secretary Frank Wiggins and Industrial Commissioner Arthur W. Kinney.

He said that conditions in Russia were so altered as a result of the war that there were wonderful trade opportunities for the United States. The elimination of vodka, he said, would be permanent, and that under the new conditions the masses of Russia would be more industrious and greater wealth producers than ever before.

He thinks it probable the Russian government will be too reduced financially by expense of the war to carry out irrigation projects that it had planned to foster, and that it will gladly assume a most friendly attitude toward American capitalists who will establish branch commercial houses there, develop electrical power, promote irrigation enterprises and undertake similar large projects.

"The time for the United States to act is now," said Mr. De Denissow. "Russia has a sturdy population of almost unlimited number, but is lacking in machinery, in private capital for development of large enterprises, in engineers to construct large irrigation and power works and other things that the United States can supply.

"I expect to explain these conditions while in this country, and I feel sure that after my return to Russia, as president of the Chamber of Exports, I shall be able to be of considerable service to any exporters or capitalists of this country who may wish to form connections with Russia. I want to learn while here what you have to sell that Russia needs and will need, and what you buy that Russia may supply. We have always been good customers of yours for machinery, leather and cotton, and you have bought our furs and other products, but there are a great many other commodities that we could exchange to our mutual benefit."

OIL MEN APPROVE.

Will Assist in Enforcement of City's Protective Laws.

It was unanimously decided last night at a meeting in the Council chamber of oil producers, refiners and marketers to assist the city oil inspector in enforcement of the ordinance regulating the sale of the several common products of petroleum. The adoption of a measure covering any other product of petroleum not mentioned in the existing measure also was urged.

The meeting was called by Inspector C. A. Blackmar, who explained his purpose is to institute a crusade against persons who are selling certain by-products of petroleum under fictitious names. "It is for the protection of the consumer that I am determined to enforce the law to the letter," Mr. Blackmar stated, and his stand was approved by the dealers.

At the conclusion of a lengthy discussion the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, that the producers, refiners, marketers, garage and service station owners present at this meeting unanimously indorse the efficient work of the department of oil inspector; that every effort be made to strictly enforce the specifications as they now exist, and that specifications be adopted covering any other product which may be offered for sale that does not come within the specifications covered by the city ordinance.

FROM WAR ZONE.

J. E. Sprunger, recently arrived from eight months in the European war zone, will speak at the Y.M.C.A. Sunday afternoon, the 26th inst., at 4 o'clock, on the German war camps. The Wheatley Male Quartette will sing.

Puzzle.

WHO CUT FREIGHT RATE ON TIN CANS?

CONUNDRUM IN HEARING OF A PETITION TO INCREASE.

Railroads and Water Carriers Both Claim First Move—Fruit Men and Manufacturers Oppose Request to State Board for Higher Tariff from Here to the Interior.

Incidental to the tin-can rates controversy, a hearing in regard to which was conducted before Harvey D. Loveland of the State Railroad Commission, in the Supreme Court, yesterday, a conundrum was asked by the commissioner, and he and everyone else in the room gave up when it came to answering.

"The rail carriers say they met the water carriers' rate, and the water carriers say they met the railroads' rate. Now, who first started meeting the other's rate?"

Silence reigned. "Well, I would like to be enlightened," plaintively remarked the commissioner, but nobody gave him satisfaction.

The railroads want to raise the rates on tin cans between Los Angeles and points in the interior. They asked permission yesterday to modify their first application, but Fred P. Gregson, traffic manager for the Associated Jobbers, opposed any increase. He said that even under the modification the proposed rates would result in as high as 50 per cent. increases. For example, he remarked, the present rate from Los Angeles to Banning is 14 cents, and it is proposed to increase it to 30 cents. A similar advance is proposed from Los Angeles to Hemet. Mr. Gregson said the Los Angeles companies were working up a big business with San Joaquin Valley points, and in the Porterville, Kingsville and Terra Bella section the proposed increases would amount to from 50 to 100 per cent.

The railroads do not propose to increase the rate on tin plate from the East, but only the local rate. This would effect two Los Angeles canning companies which have pay rolls and disbursements for supplies totaling about $750,000 per annum. It also involves the great interior fruit-canning industry.

Mr. Gregson stated that the canning plants of Southern California have grown from four or five small ones in 1900 to about twenty-five today. These plants depend entirely upon Los Angeles for the fruit cans they use. The Los Angeles can companies get their tin plate from the East, manufacture it here and ship to the interior canning points. The rate on the tin plate from the East, combined with the local rate on the cans from here to the interior is now, Mr. Gregson said, even greater than the rate upon manufactured tin cans from the East to the same points. The railroads seek now to increase the rate upon the cans from here to the various canning points, and Mr. Gregson, on behalf of the local tin can interests, opposed the application. "It has been shown by the tin can manufacturers and also by the fruit canners of the interior that the fruit-canning business of California cannot stand the increased burden," he asserted.

On behalf of the railroads, it was sought to bring out that the present rate is not fair to them, and ought to be increased in order to give them a reasonable return.

Tie Parts.

BLAMES OTHER WOMAN.

Wife of Eugene A. Verbeck Asks Divorce on Grounds of Cruelty and Desertion, Alleging Another Receives Her Husband's Attentions.

Alleging cruelty and desertion as the causes for a divorce, Mrs. Louise S. Verbeck of No. 1916 Wilton place yesterday asked for a legal separation from her husband, Eugene A. Verbeck, an importer and interior decorator of No. 712 West Seventh street, who resides at the Edgerly apartments. Through her attorney, Minor Blythe, she asks for $100 a month for herself as alimony, $50 a month for the maintenance of a minor child and $500 attorney's fees. While alleging desertion since 1914, Mrs. Verbeck named May Clayton Reichert as a woman who was at present occupying the attention of her husband. The woman in the case is not named as a co-respondent, but merely as a person who is receiving the attention that the plaintiff alleges should be her own.

According to the statement of attorneys, Mr. Verbeck is a keen and prosperous business man and has been employed in decorating many of the more pretentious of the Southern California homes.

Mr. Verbeck places a different interpretation on his business affairs. When asked for a statement last evening he said: "I am simply a paper hanger, a poor man, and the demands made on me are outrageous. I have no statement to make other than that I have conducted myself in a proper manner."

The Verbecks have been married for more than twenty-six years, and until they separated were supposedly happily married. They have two children, one a man of mature years and a partner in the business, and another, Laurence T. Verbeck, a minor.

The complaint asks that Mr. Verbeck be restrained from disposing of his business or property until the case can come before the court.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Meet Monday Afternoon.

The meeting of the Holder Memorial Committee, announced to be held Sunday afternoon, will occur Monday in the office of Dr. Norman Bridge, No. 1015 Security Building.

On "Don Pasquale."

Dr. Clement B. Shaw will deliver a lecture in Blanchard Hall this evening on the opera, "Don Pasquale." Miss Georgia Mitchell will illustrate the solo parts of the opera, with Miss Ethel Summer as accompanist.

Closing Lecture.

The closing lecture of a series on religious education, by Prof. T. C. Knols, D.D., of the University of Southern California, will be given this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the ladies' parlor, third floor Trinity Auditorium. The subject will be "Philosophic Thought at the Beginning of the Christian Era."

To Talk on Honolulu.

The bi-monthly meeting and luncheon of the Los Angeles Traffic Association will be held at Jahnke's Tavern, No. 543 South Spring street at noon today. F. J. Halton of the Hawaii Promotion Committee will deliver a stereopticon lecture on "Hawaii, the Paradise of the Pacific." H. C. Reed, president of the association, will preside.

Benefit for P.T.A.

A programme of esthetic and interpretative dancing was given at the Ebell Club, yesterday, by pupils of Mrs. J. Frank Hartzell, for the benefit of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Twenty-fourth-street school. A feature of the entertainment was the dance, "Break of Dawn," by nine of the small pupils. Mrs. Shannon Crandall is president of the association.

On Lecture Tour.

Miss Mildred Lee Clemens, a cousin of Mark Twain, lectured last night at the Green Hotel, Pasadena, and will repeat her lecture tonight at the Raymond and Saturday night at the Huntington, on "The Message of the Yosemite." The lecture is illustrated with 4000 feet of film and 125 colored slides of views in the national park. Next week Miss Clemens will appear at the Virginia, Long Beach, on Monday and the Hollywood Hotel on Tuesday.

Civil Service Tests.

The County Civil Service Commission will hold examinations on April 10 and 11, the first to secure a new eligible list for the position of junior civil engineer draftsman, and the other for a utility man for the county farm. The draftsman's duties will be to copy or trace drawings and plats; the salary to begin with is $100 a month. The utility man must be able to turn his hand to carpenter work, cabinet making, steam fitting, plumbing, and various other duties.

Free Lecture on China Tonight.

Harry Blackstone of China, son of W. E. Blackstone of this city, will deliver a free stereopticon lecture in the great Bible Institute auditorium this evening, beginning promptly at 7 o'clock. His subject will be, "The Boxer Massacres in China." He will show many rare and interesting pictures, among them views of the most recent Chinese rebellion—made by himself on the ground. The general public is invited to attend and enjoy a treat of more than ordinary interest.

Deserts.

NO MORE "LOVE NEST."

One of Quartette of Young Men Who Kept a Scandal Bungalow at Pomona is Sentenced to Year in Jail; Fate of Two in Doubt.

Elmer Baumgardner, one of the quartette of young men charged with establishing a "love nest" at Pomona, was sentenced by Judge Reeve of the Juvenile Court yesterday to serve twelve months in the County Jail. The young man pleaded guilty to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Miss Lulu Black, 17 years old.

When the court fixed tomorrow for the time to pass sentence, the accused asked that the matter be closed then and there. He made another request, which was that leniency be shown. He did not ask for probation.

Two more young men are waiting for their fate to be decided. The fourth, who was told to leave Pomona, it is said, is sought by the juvenile officers.

Miss Black was placed on probation. Adeline Heaney, the other girl alleged to have been in the bungalow, was committed to Whittier for the next four years. Her sister, who is said to have visited the bungalow and taken liquor on several occasions, was sent home, the understanding being that she is to be sent East shortly.

Reward.

PIONEER REALTY OPERATOR PASSES.

FUNERAL OF G. W. PERKINS TO BE HELD TOMORROW.

With Prominent Business Associates Built First Street Railway in Monrovia and was One of Earliest Directors of the Security Trust and Savings Bank.

Funeral services for George W. Perkins, 65 years of age, one of the pioneer real estate men in this city and Monrovia, will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at the family residence, No. 2314 West Twenty-fourth street. The services will be conducted by the Rev. Joseph Hayes, a retired minister of Pueblo, Colo.

Mr. Perkins formerly lived in Pueblo and Colorado Springs. He was one of the largest wholesale furniture men in Colorado in 1875. In 1886 Mr. Perkins came to California and engaged in the real estate business, being associated with J. F. Sartori for a number of years. Mr. Perkins, in company with Mr. Sartori, John Wilde, F. N. Meyers and John Brousart, owned and operated the first street railway in Monrovia. The road was operated by burros, and extended from the Southern Pacific Railway station through the town and out to a subdivision which the gentlemen had upon the market. As it was mostly downhill on the return trip to the station, the burros were placed in the back end of the car and it coasted to the depot. The railway was three miles long.

Mr. Perkins was the original vice-president of the First National Bank of Monrovia and was one of the first directors of the Security Trust and Savings Bank of this city. He was a Shriner and a Thirty-second Degree Mason. He leaves the widow, Mrs. Katherine Perkins, and two daughters, Mrs. Robert Comstock of Chicago and Miss Grace Perkins, who resides with her mother at the Twenty-fourth-street home.

Red Tape.

TROUBLE FOR CLERKS.

Instructions to County Office Men Make Job of Checking Up Their Time so Involved They are Reduced to Imitation Adding-Machines.

The smooth, rubicond faces of county clerks are getting lines in them. They are lines of worry, not to say perturbation. They are no longer human beings. An adding machine could take their places, and as machines do not eat, there would be no necessity to pay them salaries, which would be a feather in the cap of the efficiency man.

Not long ago County Clerk Lelands, acting under the suggestion of the Civil Service Commission, passed out to the small army of clerks, including the efficient gentlemen who labor in the numerous courts, a slip of paper bearing this instruction:

"Please distribute your time on daily reports showing, as closely as possible, how much time you devote to writing minutes, making entries on register of actions, meeting the public, etc. The time for each should be shown separately."

A small sheet was furnished, one for each day, which called for noting the number of the job, kind of work, quantity, hours and minutes devoted, and the time of arriving at work, leaving for lunch, returning from lunch and leaving for the day.

And the clerks do not like it, although they cannot say so aloud. But if their thoughts do not show, the lines in their faces do. Some time soon the clerks may turn into wood and metal machines.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
[Advertising.]

For quick action drop answers to Times "liners" in Times liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "liner" section.

Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker will give a public reading of "The Master Builders," by Ibsen, tonight at Cumnock Hall, Figueroa and Fifteenth. Admission 50 cents.

A great special sale is on at Bartlett Music Co., 231 S. Broadway, opposite City Hall. Look at classified ads for details.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 23.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.77; at 5 p.m., 29.79. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 65 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 60 per cent.; 5 p.m., 42 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., west, velocity 12 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 20 miles. Highest temperature, 58 deg.; lowest, 48 deg. Rainfall for season, 19.89 inches; last season, 14.76 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The storm which gave the United States general precipitation is now passing seaward over the New England Coast, having accomplished the last 700 miles in the past twenty-four hours. Moderate snowfall is reported from Des Moines to Boston, and freezing temperatures occurred from Montana northwesterly into Missouri and easterly to the Atlantic seaboard. Another North Pacific storm moved in rapidly from the northwestern coast and is now central over Utah. This depression gave showery conditions over the greater part of the Pacific States, with moderate breezes at San Diego and strong winds at San Pedro. Friday will be fair.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Friday fair. Moderate westerly winds.

For Southern California: Friday fair.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Friday, decreasing northwest wind.

Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Friday, with frost in early morning, decreasing northwest wind.

Southern California: Fair Friday; moderate westerly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—Forecast for Arizona: Friday, fair in south, snow in north, continued cold, with high winds; Saturday, fair, and no cold.

YUMA (Ariz.) March 23.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 21.50 feet.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

BURDIN—RICKENBACH. F. Fred Burgin, 23; Matilda Richenbach, 25.
BURTON—JOHNSON. John N. Burton, 27; Mabel V. Johnson, 18.
CHAFFIN — AHLBERG. Bernard B. Chaffin, 29; Esther C. Ahlberg, 27.
CLEVELAND — HACKNEY. Bertrand A. Cleveland, 27; Treta K. Hackney, 24.
DAVIES—SNOW. Mortimer H. Davies, 40; Minnie B. Snow, 40.
GHERNA—DEIRO. Silvio Gherna, 23; Theresa Deiro, 17.
GIOVANNI—CORAZZIOTTI. Billi Giovanni, 26; Maria Corazziotti, 23.
KELLY—HOUSTON. William B. Kelly, 25; Addie L. Houston, 17.
BAAB—MORTON. Emil C. Baab, 21; Jessie A. Morton, 21.
RICHTER — PEARSON. Frederick G. Richter, 25; Esther Pearson, 20.
SMOCK — BROCK. James N. Smock, 66; Lucy J. Brock, 55.
VAN CAMP—MOLLE. Frank Van Camp, 45; Euphemia Molle, 25.
VAN NIEUWENHUYSE—FORSHT. Alfred F. Van Nieuwenhuyse, 21; Iva B. Forsht, 24.
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BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BROWN. Mr. and Mrs. Robert G., boy, Potter hospital, March 19.
FOY. Mr. and Mrs. John, daughter, 2004 W. 23d street, March 16.
GARCIA. Mr. and Mrs. Pio, daughter, 1000 University avenue, March 17.
JOHNSTON. Mr. and Mrs. Frank A., daughter, Loma Vista Private Hospital, March 15.
LANDON. Mr. and Mrs. Frank, daughter, 1000 Ninth avenue, March 15.
MENDOZA. Mr. and Mrs. Benito, daughter, Alameda street, March 16.
NASH. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, daughter, 1000 Long avenue, March 8.
RICARDO. Mr. and Mrs. Peter, daughter, 1000 Main street, March 15.
NORTH. Mr. and Mrs. H. S., boy, Potter hospital, March 19.
ROUSE. Mr. and Mrs. Horace, daughter, 1000 Hope street, March 19.
SMITH. Mr. and Mrs. Walter, daughter, 1000 Pleasant avenue, March 16.
SNOCKLAR. Mr. and Mrs. Jay, daughter, 1000 Sixteenth street, March 16.
TANSY. Mr. and Mrs. Frank, daughter, 1000 Avenue, March 20.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

ASHER. Grace against Carl.
BENNETT. Tom H. against Grace A.
BRIGHT. Jessie F. against Chas. L.
DE LANTY. Myrtle M. against Harry D.
FOOTE. Mary Anne against Alvin C.
HALE. Susan P. against Chas. E.
KIDD. Willie against James.
KING. L. A. against Marion.
MIX. Virginia G. against Edwin S.
RATHBURN. William W. against Lillie B.
SANDERS. Victorie against Chas.
SHELSTEAD. Mary Ella against Jas. S.
STEVES. Pamela A. against L. J.
VERBECK. Louise A. against Henry J.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

BLUNE. Dietrich H. from Daisy.
CHANCE. Wade from Julia.
COOK. Elizabeth A. from John W.
GLASCOCK. Grace from R. Lee.
GORDON. Charles from Julia.
IHLING. Nellie from Samuel.
TODER. Birdie M. from Sydney.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and places of death—

ANGELO. Plaza. Los Angeles.
ARBOGAST. Kathrine. Los Angeles.
CANTU. Julia. Los Angeles.
DAVIS. Frank K. Los Angeles.
[ILLEGIBLE]. Sylvia. Los Angeles.
HUBILER. John. Los Angeles.
LUNA. Juan. Los Angeles.
LYNCH. Edward R. Los Angeles.
MOREN. Tora E. Los Angeles.
PEREZ. G. Los Angeles.
RIDINGS. George T. Los Angeles.
SHAW. William H. Los Angeles.
SMITH. C. Los Angeles.
WELLS. Grace A. E. Los Angeles.
WOOD. William M. Los Angeles.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ANDREWS. In this city, March 23, Wm. Andrews, aged 41 years. Remains at chapel of Smith & Valentine, No. 1147 South Flower street, later.

AVILA. At Watts, March 22, 1910, Antonio de Avila, aged 60 years, beloved husband of Josepha and Francisca Avila, Mrs. Jose and Antonio Avila. Funeral from family residence, Watts, March 23, 2:30 p.m.

BLAKESLEE. At No. 2220 Pasadena avenue, March 23, Elizabeth, aged 70 years, beloved wife of Henry E. Blakeslee, father of this city, and E. E. Blakeslee of Marysdale, Utah, and E. S. Blakeslee of Upland. Funeral from Vosper & Hart's parlors, today, 2:30 p.m. Interment, Inglewood Cemetery.

BLOMBERG. At No. 2005 Maple avenue, March 23, Andrew Blomberg, aged 64 years. Funeral services at the Swedish Church, Sycamore and Pico streets, March 25, at 2 p.m. Masonic.

BORCKMANN. In this city, March 23, Julia Adolph Borckmann, aged 70 years, beloved wife of Herman H. Borckmann and Mrs. Louise Borckmann, aged 59 years. Remains at the parlors of Green & Son, until noon today, when services are respectfully invited to be held at the chapel in Evergreen Cemetery.

BREEN. At No. 2422 Pasadena avenue, March 23, Mary Breen, aged 80 years, beloved mother of Mrs. Della Ingram and Mary and Harry Breen, and grandmother of Mrs. Ethel Breen. Funeral from the residence, today, at 8 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment, Calvary Cemetery. Arrangements by Gray-Bingham & O'Connor, funeral directors.

CARLYLE. In Panama, March 16, 1910, Sylvia, former resident of Los Angeles.

CONNORS. Suddenly, in Pasadena, March 23, Thomas Connors, beloved brother of Mrs. Mary Kane, aged 60 years, a native of Rochester, N. Y. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend the funeral services, from the chapel of Gray-Bingham & O'Connor, South Fourth avenue, Pasadena, thence to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Pasadena, for Divine service at 10 o'clock. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery.

CORRIGAN. In this city, March 23, Robert Corrigan, aged 69 years. Interment, Chicago, Ill. Wm. H. Mead, funeral director.

CULVERTSON. Passed away March 23, 1910, at Burbank, Cal., Mrs. Mary Culvertson, aged 62 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros., No. 810 South Flower street, March 25, at 2 p.m.

ELFERING. March 21, Frank C. Elfering. Remains at Brunswig Mortuary, Pasadena. Requiem mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Hollywood, Friday, 9 o'clock a.m.

ELLIOTT. At Santa Monica, March 23, Mrs. Elliott, aged 80 years. Funeral Friday, 10:30 a.m., from her late residence, No. 1120 Santa Monica avenue. Interment, Woodlawn Cemetery. Sowers, funeral directors.

GRILLO. In this city, March 23, Frank A. Grillo. Remains at H. S. Crocker Co.'s undertaking parlors.

HAMILTON. The funeral services of Mrs. Hamilton, wife of Rev. Hamilton, will be held Friday, March 25, at 2 p.m., from the parlors of Pierce Bros., 810 South Grand avenue. The interment will occur at Rosedale Cemetery, and the officers of the Ladies of the G.A.R., at the grave in Rosedale.

HANSON. At her late residence, 2[illegible] street, Mrs. Sarah Hanson, aged [illegible] years. Funeral from residence, today, at 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery. Vosper & Hart, funeral directors.

HAYES. At Pasadena, March 23, 1910, Mary, late wife of John Hayes, mother of Mrs. Frank Francisco, Frank Hayes of Los Angeles, Mrs. Ed Hayes of El Monte, Mrs. Ed Hayes of Stanford University, and Miss Agnes Hayes. Funeral Saturday at 2:30 p.m., from her late residence, 1[illegible] Mountain View Cemetery.

MEYERS. March 22, Katherine, beloved wife of Matthew Meyers, aged 70 years. Funeral Friday, March 25, at 2 p.m., from residence, No. [illegible] Pasadena avenue, corner of Ninth street. Interment, Calvary Cemetery. Gray-Bingham & O'Connor, funeral directors.

MOORE. In this city, March 23, 1910, Mrs. J. C. Moore, beloved husband of [illegible] Moore, aged [illegible] years. Funeral from Vosper & Hart's parlors, today, 10 a.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

PHILLIPS. At her residence, 1[illegible] avenue, March 22, Mrs. Phillips, aged 17 years, beloved wife of [illegible] Phillips. Funeral from Vosper & Hart's parlors, today, 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

PRUNTY. In this city, March 23, 1910, P. J. Prunty, aged [illegible] years. Funeral from the residence of O'Connor, No. [illegible] Pasadena avenue, today, March 25, at 8:30 a.m., thence to St. Vincent's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

SCHEIBEL. March 22, at his residence, [illegible] avenue, Magdalena Scheibel, aged [illegible] years, beloved wife of Nicholas Scheibel, mother of Julius and Albert Scheibel, Mrs. Carl Burbank and Mrs. Clara Schrader. Funeral 2 p.m. tomorrow, from the residence, No. [illegible] J. H. Blackmore, undertaker. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

SCOTT. At No. 2[illegible] Elizabeth F. Scott, aged [illegible] years. Remains at Brunswig Mortuary, Pasadena.

SHAW. At No. 1414 West [illegible] Shaw, aged [illegible] years. Interment to Rosedale from the Overholtzer-Sons Co.

SONDROL. In this city, March 23, Mrs. Sondrol, aged 66 years. Remains at Brunswig Mortuary, Pasadena.

STUART. March 21, 1910, Charles Stuart, aged [illegible] years, late of 2307 Normandie avenue. Funeral services at the residence, today, at 2 p.m. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery, 855 Fleming street. Mr. Stuart was born in Louisville, Ky., 74 years ago.

THOMPSON. March 23, Thompson. Remains at Brunswig Mortuary, Pasadena.

WISE. In this city, March 23, Mary Wise, beloved husband of [illegible] Wise, aged 34 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros., No. 810 South Flower street, March 25, at 2 p.m.

WOOD. Passed away March 23, 1910, Mrs. Wood, aged [illegible] years, beloved wife of [illegible] Wood, and mother of F. A. Wood and Mrs. [illegible] Funeral at the residence of Mrs. Wood, No. 1120 West Adams street, today, March 25, at 2 p.m. Interment, Rosedale Park Cemetery. Gray-Bingham & O'Connor, funeral directors.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and Court of Honor No. [illegible] for their kindness to us during our late bereavement in the loss of our mother, Elizabeth A. Mowry. The Mowry family.

LODGE NOTICES.

SCOTTISH RITE. Regular meeting Stated Council, Friday, March 25, 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance. Visitors welcome. By order of the Commander. Wm. Ward Ellis, Secretary.

Between 6 and 7 o'clock.

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Long-anticipated.

FIRST STEP TAKEN TO CONSOLIDATE PHONES.

Home Directors Authorize Negotiations With Pacific Company.

Plan as Tentatively Outlined is for Both Systems to be Taken Over by Third Holding Corporation, Payment to be Made in Stock on Valuation Basis—"Sunset" Officers Give Their Approval to Project.

ACTION taken by the directors of the Home Telephone Company yesterday afternoon has definitely opened the way for a consolidation of the two telephone systems of Los Angeles—a move whereby patrons who at present are compelled to pay for telephone service over both companies operating here will be enabled to cut their bills in half by doing away with the dual systems and their concomitant annoyances.

At the meeting yesterday the officers of the Home Telephone Company were authorized to work out in connection with the officers of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company plans whereby a new telephone company may be formed for the purpose of taking over and consolidating both systems under one management.

The plan is regarded favorably by the Pacific company, so there is every prospect that no time will be lost in the consummation of the important deal.

The franchise of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company in Los Angeles will expire on November 16 of this year. The valuations of both these concerns are practically down to the minute. But little time will be lost in this part of the proceedings towards a merger under a new company.

For the purpose of telephone rate-making by the State Railroad Commission for many cities of California, the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company completed its valuations only three weeks ago. The valuation of the Home system was made approximately three years ago, and from that time it has been kept up to date.

COMBINED VALUES.

The valuation of the combined systems in Los Angeles would probably be between $22,000,000 and $25,000,000. It is likely that the valuation of the Pacific Company would exceed that of the Home concern by about $3,000,000.

The proposed consolidation would have the effect of reducing outlays in many instances where offices and central stations could be merged and then abandoned.

This would work exactly opposite to the plan of an interchange of service, heretofore advocated. With an interchange of service it would be necessary to connect central offices of the two companies with lines of cables; in some cases more room would be required in the buildings and there would have to be a large outlay in additional equipment. The engineers of the Board of Public Utilities a short time ago estimated that equipment for the third unit, or the proposed interchange of service between the two companies, would require an outlay of about $3,000,000.

HOME STOCKS RISE.

The effect of this proposed merger on stocks of the Home Telephone Company was very noticeable on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday. The sudden rise of its common stock was the feature. From the bids of the day before of 30 the day's sales opened at 34 and the highest sales during the afternoon were at 37, while the preferred stock sold at 69.

It is definitely announced that the proposed consolidation does not mean the selling out of the Home system to the Pacific company, but that the plan proposed is the creation of a holding company that will give the people of Los Angeles the advantage of local management and investment.

A. B. Cass, president of the Home Telephone Company, made the following statement:

"For some time past the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company has recognized the public demand for complete interchange of telephone service in the city of Los Angeles. The company's officers and engineers have made exhaustive studies of possible plans for continuing two separate telephone systems and furnishing interchange of service through a toll system, operated either by the two companies or by some third organization.

"All of these plans require the installation of a toll system similar to the present long distance systems connecting Los Angeles with outside cities. Because of the vast number of messages to be handled this system would require a great number of interconnecting lines and a very elaborate equipment for making the connections and recording the charges. The service would necessarily be slow, being in effect similar to long distance service, and the quality of the service would be exceedingly difficult to maintain, as each connection must pass through the lines of two companies beside the interchange equipment. In addition to these objections would be the burden of the toll charge itself which, as the two companies have approximately the same number of subscribers, would apply on a large proportion of all connections within the city.

"Considering all of these objections, the management of the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company has become convinced that a satisfactory interchange of local telephone service at a reasonable cost can only be obtained by consolidating the two existing systems.

"The directors of the company, at their meeting this afternoon, after fully considering all the questions involved have authorized the management to endeavor, in conjunction with the management of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, to work out a plan for consolidation that will meet the demand of the public and the approval of the public authorities. The management of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company has signified its readiness to assist in formulating such a plan. As the plan is formulated it will be submitted to the public authorities.

"It is quite probable that the problem may be best solved by the organization of a new local company to take over the two systems in Los Angeles city, payment being made for the properties in the securities of the new company."

Charles F. Mason, commercial superintendent of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, when informed of the action of the Home company's officers, and Mr. Cass's statements, said that his opinions are the same as those expressed by Mr. Cass.

"Interchange is not the answer to the telephone system," said Mr. Mason, "and I believe the consolidation of the two systems is the most practical way to handle the situation if it can be worked out to the benefit of the companies and the people.

"Our company stands willing to enter into the necessary negotiations to bring this about. The details, of course, will take some time to formulate, for at the present time it is impossible to state what the final answer to the various problems can be."

John A. Glass, district superintendent of the Pacific company, declared that any other plan than that of actual consolidation of the two systems would be impracticable, and that the prospect is that within a comparatively short time a complete plan can be evolved that will enable both companies to turn over their systems to a new company for the operation of a consolidated system.

TAKEN TO SAN DIEGO.

Willie Galindo, a Mexican, who is a fourth-class cook on the Cheyenne, was placed under arrest last night at San Pedro by Detectives Doty and Brown, on the charge of assault with intent to murder. It is alleged that he shot a policeman about two weeks ago in a lumber yard at San Diego. He was brought to Los Angeles by auto and taken to San Diego on last night's train. For several days Galindo has been under surveillance on the Cheyenne, while communication has been carried on with Washington for authority to place the man under arrest.

STRICKEN WITH HICCOUGHING.

Col. Henry Laub Takes to Bed After Week of Suffering from Odd Ailment.

After suffering nearly a week with a severe attack of hiccoughs, Col. Henry Laub, well-known business man and politician, was compelled to take his bed yesterday at his home, No. 2005 Orange street. While his friends are more or less apprehensive over his condition, Dr. Carl Kurtz, the attending physician, said last night the patient is resting comfortably.

Col. Laub was first attacked by the aggravating ailment last Saturday. He employed home remedies, but to no avail, and each day his condition became worse. Yesterday morning his physician was called and ordered the patient to bed.

"The hiccoughs have many causes," Dr. Kurtz said. "A nervous condition, however, usually produces them, and is chargeable to the attack upon Col. Laub. The man is worn out from too steady application to business, and with a few days' complete rest will likely recover."

BUT ONE VOTE AGAINST BONDS.

Mission District of San Fernando Valley Overwhelmingly for Irrigation Project.

By a vote of fifty-nine to one the residents of the Mission district in the upper San Fernando Valley overwhelmingly decided yesterday in favor of a bond issue of $390,000 to pay for an aqueduct water irrigation distribution system.

The district comprises about twenty square miles, lying southwest of San Fernando townsite. It was excluded from the territory that has already provided for a distribution system for aqueduct water for irrigation purposes and the election held yesterday was in conformity with the pre-annexation agreement between the city and the district that the latter should pay for its own irrigation system.

At Rest.

LOSES HIS LONG FIGHT FOR LIFE.

Edward H. Groenendyke Passes Away at the Beach.

Heroic Gifts of Blood to Save Him Fail in the End.

Sturdy Figure in Southwest's Financial World.

Edward H. Groenendyke, vice-president of the Union National Bank of Pasadena, and one of the strong financial figures of the Southwest, died shortly after 8 o'clock last evening at the home of Isaac Milibank, No. 286 Adelaide drive, Santa Monica. Death was due to pernicious anaemia. He leaves a widow, a 5-year-old son, Edward, two sisters, Miss Elizabeth Groenendyke and Mrs. F. H. Coffeen, and two uncles, E. S. and Frank Groenendyke.

Mr. Goenendyke was taken sick about six months ago. Though all that medical science could do was invoked in an endeavor to restore his health, he became gradually weaker, and a few weeks ago his attending physician, Dr. W. Jarvis Barlow, resorted to blood transfusion.

Dr. Barlow himself was the first to undergo the operation, and Mr. Groenendyke rallied so quickly that it was deemed advisable to inject more blood into his arteries. When this became known many prominent men volunteered to submit to the operation. Among them was Lloyd R. Macy and Tod Ford, both of whom gave the dying man a pint of their life fluid.

Soon after his sickness became serious Mr. Groenendyke moved from his palatial home on Oak Knoll to Santa Monica, where he remained until it was expedient that he should have care and attention in a hospital. He was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital, and there showed such signs of improvement that he was later able to return to the beach city.

Mr. Groenendyke was 38 years old. He was born in Lafayette, Ind., and came to California as a boy. He lived nearly all his life in Pasadena, where he was brought up by his uncle, E. S. Groenendyke, of No. 84 North Madison avenue.

Upon completing his school education Mr. Groenendyke came to Los Angeles and entered a real estate and brokerage office. He advanced rapidly, and soon became the secretary of a local trust company, which position he held until he took up the banking business.

In 1905 he and H. I. Stuart purchased the Union National Bank of Pasadena from Willis R. Eason and under their management it has become one of the strongest financial institutions of Southern California.

Mr. Groenendyke was cashier of the bank until its merger with the San Gabriel Valley Bank several years ago, when he became its vice-president. He was also elected vice-president of the Union Trust and Savings Bank when it was established. He was one of the founders of the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Company.

Mr. Groenendyke was married eight years ago to Miss Vera Moorehouse, daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. C. P. Moorehouse of South Orange Grove avenue, Pasadena.

He was very popular in business and social circles of Pasadena, and always took keen interest in the civic advancement of the city. He was a member of the California Club of this city, and the Midwick Country Club. The funeral arrangements will be announced later. The body will be removed to Pasadena today.

GEN. OTIS'S ILLNESS.

Improvement in Condition—Favorable Symptoms and Good Prospects.

The condition of Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, editor of The Times, who is ill at the California Hospital, improved considerably yesterday. He was able to do business with several people and to dictate letters to his secretary. All his symptoms were favorable and at an early hour this morning the prospects of his recovery seemed excellent. The physicians believe that the general is suffering from a mild attack of pneumonia.

Here to Inspect the Soldiers Home.

Gen. George H. Wood (center.)

President of the Board of Managers of the National Homes for Disabled Volunteers, who arrived here yesterday, accompanied by Maj. J. W. Wadsworth, left, and other members of the board, to inspect the Sawtelle institution. Gen. P. H. Barry, governor of the home, right.

Plan.

OPEN DOORS OF SOLDIERS' HOMES TO VILLA VICTIMS.

MEMBERS of the board of managers of the National Homes for Disabled Volunteers, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday afternoon over the Salt Lake. They came directly from the Soldiers' Home at Leavenworth, Kan., and are only to make the annual inspection of the Pacific branch home.

The party is composed of Gen. George H. Wood of Dayton, O., president of the board; Capt. John C. Nelson of Logansport, Ind., first vice-president; Capt. Thomas S. Bridgham of Bucksport, Me., second vice-president; J. S. Catherwood of Hookstown, Ia., secretary; Maj. J. W. Wadsworth of Genesee, N. Y., Col. H. H. Markham of Pasadena is also a member of the board, and the local manager of the Soldiers' Home. He will join the party today. There are also in this party the following members of the headquarters staff: Col. J. M. Miller, chief surgeon and inspector-general; O. K. Marshall, assistant inspector-general, and Col. C. W. Wadsworth, treasurer.

The board meets quarterly to make appropriations and at these meetings it inspects one or more of the ten national soldiers' homes of the United States. The party spent about a week at Leavenworth and left for the Pacific Coast last Monday. After a stay here until probably next Monday, the party will proceed to Hot Springs, S. D., for inspection of the home there.

No formal features of entertainment have been arranged for the time of the visitors' stay here. Tomorrow morning the board will inspect the men at the home and the barracks and later on will come the inspection of the utilities. It is expected that an appropriation will be recommended as a result of this visit for some betterments in the buildings and the erection of a new laundry plant. The local home now has a membership of more than 3000 veterans.

"We have found," said Gen. Wood, "the homes in excellent condition throughout the country. A peculiar fact that has come to our attention of late, is that instead of the number of inmates in the homes decreasing during the past two or three years, it has increased. Since 1912 the admittances have been in excess of the deaths. That is due, no doubt, to old soldiers who formerly wished to live outside the home changing their inclinations and resolving to pass their last few years in the company of their old army acquaintances.

"The most popular home in the United States is the local one. It is almost too attractive, for we have applications by the score for transfers from other homes to the one here. There are more than 20,000 veterans in the homes throughout the country and the government spends $5,000,000 annually for their comfort. The average age of the inmates is 72 years. Approximately 20 per cent. are Spanish War and Filipino Insurrection veterans.

"While there is no significance in our inspection being made at this time, if the Mexican trouble develops into a serious one, it is probable that Congress will be requested to authorize the admittance of soldiers disabled in the present campaign. With present equipment it would be inadvisable to admit more than 5000 men to the homes, although by doubling up and crowding we might be able to accommodate 10,000."

Rain, Hail, Snow, Thunder.

GALE LASHES THE COAST; SMALL CRAFT GO ASHORE.

WHIPPED by a gale that for a time reached a velocity of forty-eight miles an hour at the harbor, the ocean pounded the southern coast yesterday and minor damage was reported from many places. In the city a freak equinoctial storm brought wind, hail, rain and then left lots of time for sunshine. Ill effects here were confined to tearing of insulation and breaking of some telephone wires, causing interference with long-distance service. Southern California generally had whimsical weather, including snow and lightning.

In the channel a lively sea was kicked up, but inside the breakwater at the harbor the surface was still as a millpond. Most of the vessels in the protected area rode out the storm easily. But during the height of the gale, several small craft broke from their anchorage off the Los Angeles Motor Boat Club and went ashore. The steam yacht Vergana, owned by a motion picture company, grounded in Wilmington basin, taking five or six other small boats with her. As the bottom is soft, none was seriously damaged.

Long Beach suffered no loss other than partial derangement of the telephone service.

The stretch of coast between Playa del Rey and Point Firmin experienced the full force of the gale but the damage was comparatively small. The partially completed municipal wharf at Redondo Beach suffered to some extent, false work on the ocean end being torn out, but the concrete piling withstood the blow. Piling was washed from the old wharves and rowboats wrecked.

Clyde Henderson fell from a launch and had a narrow escape from drowning when he and his brother Charles braved the storm in order to save their yacht, "The Moon," valued at $1000, which was torn from its anchor and drifted toward Wharf No. 3. Th boys managed to save the yacht but had to stay in it for six hours while the seas swept over the deck and into the engine-room.

At Hermosa Beach the roof was blown off the Walker block and the high tide washed over the cement walks, doing minor damage along the strand. One of the steel oil tanks of the Standard Oil Company between Redondo Beach and Hermosa Beach was crushed in. It was empty and so there was no inside pressure to resist the wind.

At San Diego the wind reached a velocity of close to fifty miles an hour and breakers washed high along Ocean Beach, but there was no damage. The small ferry steamer Coronado was swept from her course to the Santa Fe wharf and was withdrawn from service till the storm should subside. At last report the wind was rising.

Pasadena, Pomona and other valley points experienced some snow in addition to hail and rain. At Huntington

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Incendiary.

FIVE IN TEETH OF ARSON TRAP.

Alleged Members of "Ring" in Jail Here and at Bay.

Man and His Daughter Sought; Two Prisoners Women.

Trail of Fire is Traced from Canada to Mexican Line.

After months of investigation and surveillance, five alleged members of an arson ring that has operated from Canada to the Mexican border for several years were arrested yesterday in Long Beach and Oakland, almost simultaneously. The two captured in Southern California were hurried to the County Jail while the search for several others who have escaped the dragnet continued.

The names of the operators give the story the color of an anti-ally plot. All of those arrested and those still wanted are of German extraction. Andrew Becker and his daughter, Bertha, are those taken at Long Beach and Mr. and Mrs. August Mundt and Reinhardt H. Grauman, Jr., at Oakland.

Reinhardt H. Grauman, Sr., and his daughter, Ida, are sought in Southern California, northern officers having wired that they had left that territory apparently for Los Angeles. Complaints were issued by Deputy District Attorney Joos, and were sworn to by Attorney Arthur Keetch, for the Fire Insurance Underwriters' Association.

It is alleged the gang has collected approximately $50,000 insurance in five years. The complaint on which the warrants for arrest were issued is based on a fire at a residence at No. 547 Rosella avenue, Watts, the night of December 31, 1915. Practically all the alleged members of the gang were at the house at the time this happened, as far as is acertainable, the authorities declare.

After collecting insurance from the Glenn Falls Insurance Company of Glenn Falls, N. Y., the majority of the group left Southern California and last month, in Oakland, the residence of August Mundt was destroyed. In adjusting the losses the insurance agents, it is alleged, discovered the same persons had been paid insurance following a fire in the same community last August.

Further investigation apparently connected the Mundts with the Beckers and Graumans. As the officers worked on the case they managed to trail the group of alleged arsonists from Vancouver and Victoria, B. C., to Bellingham and Seattle,

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Make Good.

FEDERAL STRAW BONDS INQUIRY.

Government to Force Payment of Forfeited Security.

Uncle Sam Declares War on Illicit Business Here.

Stringent Rules will Govern Future Sureties.

An active campaign against sureties on bonds that have been forfeited to the government will begin in a few days, with the filing of suits to recover the amounts alleged to be due on account of the nonappearance of defendants for trial, and a war against what are said to be "straw bondsmen" is promised.

The first case filed will be against one of the bondsmen who qualified as surety for Charles E. Williamson, president of the California Tuna Fishing and Packing Company. Williamson is now serving a sentence on McNeil's Island. The amount sought to be recovered is $1500, one of the bondsmen having already paid his half of the original sum of $3000.

At the recent term of the Federal Court in San Diego the bond of J. K. Tennant, in the sum of $10,000, was declared forfeited, and immediate steps will be taken to collect the money.

MAKE NEW RULES.

It is understood also that hereafter there will be more rigid rules as to the qualification of bondsmen, and that equity interests in real estate will be taboo. Under the present rule one man is accepted on several bonds, and that feature will be done away with. It is suggested that owners of real estate deposit their deeds with the government when the holder thereof qualifies, but this drastic rule will hardly be adopted, as it would make bond-giving beyond the reach of many defendants. But there is nothing in the law or custom now prevailing that can prevent a bondsman from qualifying one day and disposing or sequestering his property the next, and still be not amenable to the law. Brothers will have to pass a rigid inspection.

It is known that certain people have been making it a business to furnish bonds to defendants in criminal cases for a consideration. In order to discourage this practice, and also to get bondsmen who will promptly pay when the defendant disappears, without delay or a law suit, the whole machinery of bond-giving is about to be recast.

Under the present arrangement it is a question whether the bondsmen are good when occasion arises to look into the financial ability of the security.

PROFITABLE BUSINESS.

It is known that in some instances large amounts are paid in cash to men with property who are willing to take a chance, figures being quoted as high as $500 on bonds of $10,000, for each of the two securities.

It is one of the queer features of bond-making in the Federal Court that defendants supposed to be without friends and certainly without money, so far as appearances go, are able to furnish bond, and in some cases the sureties are not even acquainted with the men on whose bond they appear. The filing of the suit in the Williamson case, and the fear that some of the bonds now in the keeping of the court are not as gilt-edged as they might be, has led to a determination to reform the matter of approving bonds by the United States District Attorney.

Indiscreet.

LETTER MAKES TROUBLE.

Plaintiff in Railroad Damage Suit Accused of Writing Attack on Theodore A. Bell Arrested on Charge of Sending Scurrilous Mail Matter.

Charles J. Carroll, a one-legged man, was taken into custody yesterday charged with sending scurrilous matter through the mails. He was arraigned before Commissioner Hammack, and the hearing was set for next Thursday. He was held in $500 bond.

It is alleged that Carroll, who has an action in damages against the Southern Pacific company, asking $30,000 on account of the loss of his left leg, wrote a letter to Harry M. Moffatt, secret service agent of the Treasury Department in San Francisco, making some scurrilous charge against Theodore A. Bell of that city.

Postoffice Inspector Webster has had charges against Carroll pending for some time, but they were of a character requiring action of the State authorities.

Mr. Bell is one of the best known citizens in California, and was a recent candidate for gubernatorial honors in this State. There is nothing in the case implicating him in any way, except the seemingly unsubstantiated assertions of Carroll, who, it is claimed, is evidently trying to force a settlement of his claim against the railroad.

CONTESTS LAND CLAIM.

Woman Demands Property Relinquished by Her Husband.

Sixty acres of San Fernando land is involved in the case brought by Clara Eckert against Edmund L. Brown, heard in the local Land Office yesterday.

W. E. Eckert, husband of the contestant, made a homestead entry on the land January 3, 1913, and on February 24, 1915, relinquished to the contestee, Brown. It is alleged that under the agreement Eckert was to receive a half interest in the land when patented to Brown, and in the meantime Eckert was to be paid $50 a month by Brown for the improvement of the land.

Mrs. Eckert asks that the Brown entry be cancelled, and that she be allowed to make an entry on the land as the head of the family. Under the land law, a husband may make a relinquishment of entry without the consent of his wife.

Brown claims that he secured the relinquishment in good faith, that he has complied in all ways with the laws relating to a homestead entry, and alleges that the contest has been brought for the purpose of getting a money consideration out of him.

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Tea Party.

OPPOSE STAMP TAX.

Merchants and Manufacturers Protest Against Government Revenue-raising Scheme Requiring a Fee on Bank Checks. Cut Nipped.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association yesterday a resolution was adopted protesting against the proposed method by the Federal government for raising additional revenue by the requirement of placing stamps on checks. It is generally admitted that such new tax would seriously affect the merchants, in view of the fact that payments of small accounts by check would be abolished by customers and settlement of accounts would be retarded, and that the settlement of accounts by the merchants with their creditors would require a vast percentage in the increase of their overhead expenses.

The board accepted an invitation to participate in the conference on March 30, called by the Mayor of Long Beach, to create closer working affiliations with this city and the tributary country.

An official protest was filed last week with the postoffice department and requests sent to the Senators from California, as well as the Congressmen from this section, urging them to protest against the curtailment of delivery in the apartment-house and business districts. Answers were received from Washington that no curtailment would be authorized that in any way would effect the business interests and the efficiency of the postoffices in this city, but, while in some instances trips of the carriers have been curtailed, it is understood that this was done as an experiment and that no permanent cut in deliveries will be authorized in the business and apartment sections.

A resolution was adopted urging the people to comply with the spirit of "dress up" week.

ADMITS LIABILITY.

Peculiar Twist to Damage Suit Growing Out of Elsinore Wreck.

A jury in United States District Judge Trippet's court is trying the measure of damages that should be awarded to David A. Seward, who was a passenger on the Santa Fe train that was wrecked at Elsinore, March 5, 1915. Mr. Seward claims that he suffered concussion of the spine and other serious injuries in the accident. The railroad company admits liability for the accident, and the only question to be determined by the jury is the extent of the money verdict.

In the impanelling of the jury, Ambrose Collier, a colored man, was put into the box, but was later on excused on motion of the defendant corporation, on account of age. Collier stated that he was 86 years old, making him the oldest man who ever performed service on a jury in the Federal court in this city. He was a member of a jury that last week tried a damage suit against the Southern Pacific.

COURT OF APPEAL TO MOVE.

The office of the District Court of Appeal will be moved to the ninth floor of the Union League Building at Second and Hill streets, tomorrow, where it will occupy quarters next to the rooms of the local office of the State Supreme Court, the April term of which will convene on April 10.

Thousands of People

endeavor to telephone ads to The Times at the same time Saturday evening. Do it Friday or early Saturday and avoid confusion.

U.S.C.

OPEN CAMPAIGN FOR ENDOWMENT

Two Million Dollars is Aim of Local University.

Shares in Methodist Church Educational Plan.

Four College Presidents will Outline Work.

The University of Southern California formally opened its campaign to raise $2,000,000 for endowment with a mass meeting of students yesterday in the college chapel. Dr. J. W. Hancher of New York, assistant secretary of the general board of education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was the chief speaker. Dr. Hancher has come to this city for the purpose of aiding the campaign, and will be here for several weeks.

That the University of Southern California is destined to be one of the three greatest universities in the country, which are conducted with the aid of the Methodist Church, was the statement of Dr. Hancher. "I predict 5000 students for this university and more after that number is reached," he said. "Educational authorities of the nation over are agreed that the University of Southern California is to be one of the greatest Christian institutions in the United States.

EACH IN ITS PLACE.

"There is no quarrel between the Christian colleges and those supported by State taxes. Each has its part to play, and neither can take the place of the other. While many institutions are reorganizing themselves to meet the requirements of great foundations and pension funds, the Christian colleges and universities will go ahead interpreting Christian ideals to the people.

"The Methodist church has therefore opened this great campaign, beginning in 1916, to give a comfortable financial endowment to every one of its educational institutions.

"The three essentials in a campaign of this sort are publicity, organization, and prayer. With these three bases the campaign must succeed. We have not suffered a single failure in any of our former campaigns, and we do not expect to do so here. We hope to enlist the aid of a quarter of a million Christian people in Southern California who will work with and for us to bring about the victory.

FOUR PRESIDENTS TO HELP.

Dr. Bovard, introducing Dr. Hancher, expressed regret that the university auditorium will seat only 500 students, less than one-fifth of the total student body. "We hope to remedy that as one of the results of our campaign," he said.

Four college presidents in a row will be seated on the platform at the student assembly this morning, at which more detailed plans will be announced. President A. E. Craig of Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa; Dr. J. H. Jenkins of Dakota Wesleyan College at Mitchell, S. D.; Dr. Hancher, who was president of Iowa Wesleyan College for many years, and Dr. G. F. Bovard of U. S. C. will make up the presidential quartette.

Opportunity.

PRIZE FOR A POSTER.

Cash Offer Made for Best Painting Submitted by Intermediate or High School Student—Time Limit for Offerings is April First.

This is for boys and girls with a talent for painting posters who are in the intermediate or high schools of Los Angeles.

All others may pass on to the next story.

Twenty-five dollars is offered for the best two-color poster for the convention to be held in Los Angeles May 1-5 of the California State Societies' Social Agencies. All posters must be in the hands of the judges by 12 o'clock of April 1.

The following points must be brought out in the posters:

(1.) That it is the eighth annual convention of the California State Societies' Social Agencies.

(2.) That it is to be held in Los Angeles, May 1-5, inclusive.

(3.) That it is to be a State conference of all persons interested in social service.

(4.) That it is to be distinctly educational.

(5.) That the purpose of the convention is to exchange ideas tending toward the uplift of humanity.

(6.) That it is to be the greatest social conference ever held anywhere.

"Our goal 2000 members" is the convention's slogan.

Posters must be fifteen by twenty-six inches.

The judges are Dr. Milbank Johnson, president of the Municipal Charities Commission; Prof. E. J. Lickley, Charlotte M. Eddy and F. W. Blanchard.

Get busy!

If you have any questions to ask telephone the Municipal Charities Commission.

Remember, this is to be a worthwhile picture. It probably will be reproduced and shown everywhere. The boy or girl who wins the contest will win more than the prize, $25. It will mean wide recognition and may be the stepping stone to lasting success in the field of art.

Plans for the convention are rapidly maturing. The Executive Committee has been busy two months and considers there is no question of the success of the convention.

OFFERS AN ALIBI.

Alleging that he knew nothing of the character of the load that was concealed in L. H. Jaccard's big seven-passenger automobile, "Joe" Varven sprang a surprising defense yesterday, before United States District Judge Cushman, to the charge of smuggling smoking opium. Varven was arrested with Jaccard, who pleaded guilty and is now serving a term of a year and a day in San Quentin. Jaccard's automobile was afterwards sold by the government for $395. The two men are alleged to have had approximately $2000 worth of opium in their possession.

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Old rose, pink, emerald and claret, also white with hair lines of various colors.
The lot comprises broken lines, some of the lighter colors of which may be slightly soiled from showing. However, that is a defect easily remedied, as all are washable.
Sale Today, Friday—Third Floor.

Sport Apparel Fabrics

The present season demand for woolens suitable for sports suits and coats has so far exceeded the supply that it behooves those who have anticipated a garment made of any one of the several advance styles now shown to make their selection as early as possible, or disappointment may be their lot. This department has been exceedingly fortunate in securing a goodly assortment of the two most wanted materials—Velour and Jersey in all fashion-favored colors as: Pansy, Old Rose, Copen, Emerald, Wistaria, Mustard, Gold, Magenta, also White. They range from 54 to 58 inches wide. $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 yard.

Chintillas, too, have won favor as a fabric for sports apparel; the demand running to Emerald, Golf, Pink, Ivory and Cream colors. 56 inch, $3.00, $3.50 and $5.00 a yard.

—WOOLEN GOODS SECTION—SECOND FLOOR—

Fancy Socks for the Kiddies

All the pretty colors and color combinations in plain and stripes with plain colors, shades to match or harmonize with almost any kids suit or dress. The new stock has just been opened.
White Socks, three-fourth length at 50c.
Silk Socks of excellent quality at 75c.
Plain Silk Socks in pink, blue and white, 50c.
Fancy Socks of fine lisle, 3 pairs for $1.00 and 25c.
Plain Lisle Socks in tan or white, 3 pairs for $1.00.

—FIRST FLOOR—

"Nu-Shape" Union Suits

"Nu-Shape" Union Suits stand for all that is wearable, comfortable, perfect fitting and economical in knitted underwear. The styles and weights for spring are now being shown. Lisle Thread Suits in low neck, no sleeves, cuff or lace trimmed knee, garments so serviceable, so perfect in their fitting qualities and so moderately priced that you'll wonder why it is you have not worn them before, $1.50, $1.25, $1 and 50c each.

—THIRD FLOOR—

Sport Hats

Stunning, is the only word that can express one's admiration — and surprise — on seeing for the first time the collection of Sport Hats. They are perfect marvels of style.

—THIRD FLOOR—

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HERE, over historic ground, where early Californian adventurers—soldiers and padres too—took weeks to tramp over the rich soil and to cross the flowing streams, the excursionist may travel smoothly, with modern conveniences and vehicles of rapid trsnsit.

The following towns will be visited by The Times excursionists — Bakersfield, Corcoran, Porterville, Hanford, Laton, Fresno, Reedley, North Dinuba, Cutler, Redbank, Exeter, Lindsay, Visalia and Tulare.

The price of ticket, which includes: round-trip transportation, sleeping berth on train, all meals and entertainments on the trip is

$15

THE Excursion will afford sightseers a very comprehensive view of this enterprising section at the very lowest expense; much less in fact than regular fare.

At the different towns, suitable entertainments and automobile rides to interesting points will be furnished. The great dairy farms, sugar beet, raisin, deciduous and citrus fruit, and poultry districts of this wonderful valley will be seen.

Don't forget! Apply for your reservation today.

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Dramatic.

SMUGGLERS AND POLICE BATTLE.

One Suspect is Shot Down in Running Street Fight.

Four Desperadoes Escape with Heavy Package of Opium.

Courage of Unarmed Detective Awes Gang in Dim Lair.

Smuggling of opium, a traffic which has come to yield such tremendous profits that it has enlisted shrewd and desperate men, assumed a sensational and tragic climax yesterday when Police Detectives Mann and McAfee attempted to capture five alleged smugglers and a $2000 package of opium in a Japanese theater at No. 227 Jackson street. In the running fight that followed Detective Mann shot and seriously wounded Francisco Diaz, No. 37 Alpine street. Four men escaped with the opium.

As observed by the detectives, four of the men are Castilian Spanish and one is of Jewish descent. They stood to win $2000 by peddling the opium to distributors here, the officers say.

Ever since the Harrison law went into effect the smuggling of opium has become more hazardous, and with the increasing hazard the profits have advanced until the most reckless and desperate of venturers are now in the business.

Detectives Mann and McAfee were aware of this when a mysterious telephone message came to the former early yesterday morning, telling him to be in the Yamato Theater on Jackson street at 7 o'clock if he wished to capture the biggest opium smugglers in the business.

The informant instructed Detective Mann to take one man with him, and to chose Detective McAfee.

At dawn they went to the Yamato Theater, a rambling and airy structure filled with cobwebs and shadows, with a capacity for seating 3000 persons. As they approached the place the detectives heard a murmur of voices high in the gallery, crowded into an upper cranny above the thousands of seats.

The detectives concluded the voices came from the roof and Detective Mann went to the rear and mounted to the top of the building to face the leaders of the opium. Detective McAfee went upward through the theater. As he came to the upper gallery he saw a small room from which emerged a light, and the voices issued from within. The officers had been told but two men guarded the opium and Detective McAfee boldly opened the door.

There stood four men. A fifth stood sentinel, a lookout with a code of signals hush vocally any warning. He had not seen the detectives.

The same as Detective McAfee faced them the three drew revolvers and leveled them at him. In his haste to answer the call of his friend, Mann, it is neglected to strap on his revolver. He was unarmed.

He stood with hands aloft while the three held him at the muzzles of their guns. Then one man snatched up a heavy package wrapped in a newspaper and fled. Detective McAfee shot him. The man fled through the dusty depths of the theater, down stairs, knocking over chairs. Before came the detective. His boldness overawed the armed men. He walked one to the street and across the thoroughfare and there caught him. Then he took him back to the theater, where he expected to meet Detective Mann.

But when Mann had descended from the roof he, too, had been met by the gunmen. He feared for the life of his friend, and holding the men at bay, attempted to run. He had ample chance to shoot and kill one man, but if he did he feared the other men would kill Mr. McAfee. So he dallied to save the life of his friend.

Two of the suspects beat him to the doorway to which Mr. McAfee had taken his captive. They put their revolvers to Mr. McAfee's stomach and ordered him to hold up his hands. Then Detective Mann arrived. As he came running down an aisle the man bearing the treasure fled, and with him most of the party. Diaz was prostrate the night. Dective Mann ran after the bearer of the drug. When McAfee interfered Mr. Mann shot him, causing injuries which may prove fatal.

Workers in the wholesale district heard the shot. They raced out and caught Detective Mann was a murderer. They stoned him, cursed him, kicked him and threw every conceivable weapon at him as he chased after the fugitive with the opium. In the end their misguided efforts stopped him. The alleged smuggler disappeared, tossing his precious cargo into a motor truck and driving away. All the three uninjured members of the gang on the truck with him.

County Sheriff Sepulveda arrested Jose Fernandes in the room at No. 37 Alpine street occupied by Diaz. Fernandes, is of Castilian birth.

Diaz is in a precarious condition. The bullet punctured his chest and another ripped his hip away. Both physicians refuse to talk.

LIAR MAKES TROUBLE.

Policeman Mistakes Attorney for a Thief, is Explanation of Blow.

A boisterous trusty in the City Jail, who played strange pranks on D. M. Ryan, a policeman, admitted to Capt. Hess yesterday he was responsible for the unfortunate situation that arose Monday night, when L. V. Shedd, an attorney, attempting to serve a paper on Policeman Jones, was shoved away. The trusty, whose name is "Jimmy" Shedd, has known Policeman Jones for many years and delights in teasing his uniformed friend with rather violent jests.

When Policeman Jones hurrying to duty was grabbed by the arm, he thought, the policeman says, it was another joke of his friend and, when the hand persisted in clutching at his sleeve, he turned and shoved his assailant in the man's face. Then he discovered he was laying hands upon Attorney Shofer.

Attorney Shofer filed a complaint against the policeman yesterday, and charges during the investigation that followed of the trusty were exposed. Policeman Jones, who has a splendid record in the department, apologized for his rudeness.

An Interesting Tour.

The Times Excursion train to San Joaquin valley will leave Tuesday night returning the following Monday night. This includes ten days' duration, with or train, all meals and hotels at stopping points. For further information, call or address TIMES EXCURSION DEPARTMENT, corner First and Broadway.

Next Addition to Our School System.

Central tower of new Los Angeles High School,

For which the contracts were let by the Board of Education yesterday. John C. Austin is the architect whose plans the Barber Bradley Construction Company will carry out.

Los Angeles.

CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR GREAT NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

WITHOUT an opposing vote contracts for the new Los Angeles High School were awarded yesterday by the Board of Education. The total of the awards amounts to $467,171. The contract for the general work and painting of the main building was awarded to the Barber Bradley Construction Company, and amounts to $395,652. The original bid of that company was for $406,000. By omitting several articles and substituting less expensive material in several places the Building Committee chopped $10,348 from the cost of construction.

Principal among the omissions from the previously-approved plan is the terra cotta balustrade and the wall surrounding it, which it had been proposed to construct along the front of the terrace. Screens on all windows above the ground floor will also be omitted. Button lath is to be substituted for metal lath and sugar pine table and counter tops, asphalt painted, will be substituted for the tile previously approved.

The contract for the heating system was awarded to the Western Heating Company for $28,628, with an additional contract for $5785 for boilers. Electric clocks and bells will be furnished by the Standard Electric Time Company at a cost of $1400. The Southern California Electric Company obtained the wiring contract with a bid of $13,158. Plumbing and fixture contracts were awarded to Arthur Hess for a lump sum of $22,458.

Architect John C. Austin was instructed to prepare plans and specifications for the construction of the machinery building. This building will be so arranged that a cafeteria can be added later. The maximum cost of the building is placed at $8000. Because of insufficient funds no other buildings will be erected at present.

The only protest was made by W. J. Washburn. In voting to make the contract awards, as recommended by the Building Committee, he said: "As far as I am concerned, if things had not progressed as far as they have, I wouldn't vote to go through with the project. Every time we have turned around it has cost money, and we are right at the end of our rope now. This will take every dollar we have and will probably cost $750,000 before we get through. I want it understood that my vote in favor of the project is cast only because we have gone so far with it already."

The financial statement as rendered yesterday by Auditor C. F. Lenz shows that the bond issue, premiums and special tax fund has placed to the credit of the high school building appropriation fund $1,702,859.13. From this fund there has been expended up to and including the 18th inst. $1,076,647.62. The balance required to complete the building programme now authorized will take $612,953.89. This will leave in the fund but $13,257.62.

Democrats File Petitions.

Nominating petitions containing the names of the twenty-six delegates from California to the National Democratic Convention, to be held in St. Louis, June 13, 1916, and signed by 1200 voters of this county, was filed with County Registrar McAleer yesterday.

The candidates chosen from the Ninth and Tenth Congressional districts, county of Los Angeles, are Miss Mary Foy and Dr. S. Y. Van Meter, and Mrs. W. V. Tyler and Dr. R. W. Hill, respectively.

The delegates are unanimous in their choice of Wilson for President.

TWENTY-EIGHTH SESSION.

Presbyterian Missionary Society to Convene Here Soon.

The Woman's Presbyterian Mission Society will hold its twenty-eighth annual meeting on March 28 and 29 in the First United Presbyterian Church, Ninth and Figueroa streets.

The opening session will be on Tuesday evening of next week, when Mrs. Ada Lee, one of the veteran missionaries, will speak. At the closing session, on the following night, there will be presented a missionary pageant entitled "A Light to Lighten the Gentiles." All persons interested in missionary work are invited to attend the sessions of this gathering.

Politics.

MAY MANDAMUS COUNTY CLERKS.

Some Officials Refuse to Act on Referendum Petitions.

Carnahan Johnson's Choice for Lieutenant-Governor.

Republican Club will Hold Big Meeting Tonight.

Assemblyman L. B. Carey of Fresno, who successfully managed the referendum campaign in Northern California, securing 24,000 signatures in San Francisco county, arrived here yesterday and will be the principal speaker tonight at the biweekly meeting of the Republican Club of Los Angeles County, which is to be held at Republican headquarters, No. 631 South Spring street.

Mr. Carey will remain in the city until the southern campaign is over. He will lend assistance to Assemblyman Richmond P. Benton, who is in charge of the work south of the Tehachepi. It is desired to get 50,000 signatures in the State and Mr. Benton said last night that Los Angeles and vicinity is expected to furnish 11,000 more names.

In his address tonight Mr. Carey will tell of the pernicious efforts in several counties to thwart the will of the people in reference to the referendum. Some of the county clerks, who are said to be dominated by Johnson, have openly threatened to refuse to certify the names that have been signed to the petitions and steps will be taken toward instituting mandamus proceedings to compel them to do their duty.

Word was received by telephone yesterday that of the 700 signatures signed to the petitions in San Bernardino county only 103 will be certified. In Alameda county an attempt was made to file a supplemental petition and it was refused, thereby reducing the total number several hundred. It is said the matter may be taken into the courts.

Big Meeting Tonight.

Robert Scott, executive secretary of the Republican Club, yesterday mailed invitations to representative Republicans in every precinct in the county to attend the meeting tonight and it is expected Republican headquarters will be crowded. Many important matters are to be considered in addition to preparing for the convention, which is to be held the second week in May.

A report will be received from the committee in charge of arrangements for the banquet to be given April 4. The event will be in honor of the twenty-six Republican nominees for delegates to the national convention.

Carnahan is Slated.

Reliable information was received here yesterday that H. L. Carnahan, Commissioner of Corporations, who lives in Riverside and has been an active exponent of Johnson policies, will be appointed by the Governor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Lieut.-Gov. John Eshleman. The appointment, it is said, may be made any day, the matter having been definitely settled during the visit of the chief executive to this city early in the week.

Rally in Seventy-third.

Republicans in the Seventy-third Assembly District will hold a meeting in Akey's Hall, Vernon and Central avenues, next Tuesday night, when officers will be elected and several of the nominees for delegates to Chicago will speak. Assemblyman Bartlett also will address the meeting.

Ventura Makes Record.

Roger Edwards, a stalwart Republican of Ventura county, and one of the Republican candidates for the national convention, was in the city yesterday. He looked after the referendum campaign in his county and secured 250 more names than were asked. He says enthusiasm is also strong for the referendum in Santa Barbara county, where John J. Squier, prominent attorney and loyal stand-patter, is in charge of the work.

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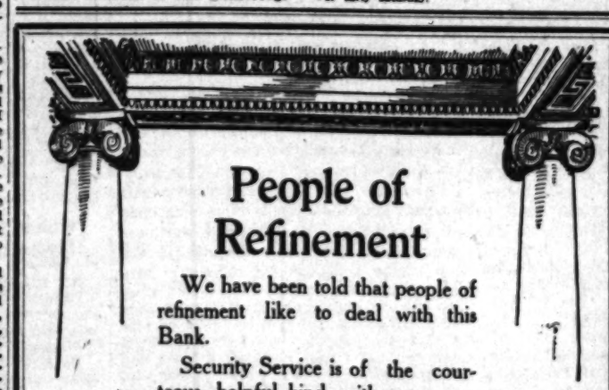

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The Santa Fe took a hack at the cost of fabricating numerous articles of commerce yesterday by announcing reductions of from 10 to 15 cents a hundred pounds on structural ironware from points east of Chicago to California terminals, including Los Angeles Harbor. The reductions will be effective April 10.

Nearly all the reductions are on commodities which move in heavy volume, and have heretofore taken rates of from 75 to 80 cents a hundred pounds. Among them are structural iron, bar iron, concrete reinforcing, bolts, nuts, washers, rivets, nails and spikes, plate and sheet iron, shingle-binders, horseshoes and wire fencing.

Sanction of these reductions was asked of the Interstate Commerce Commission some months ago.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) Southern Pacific's increase in net earnings for February were $294,000. As a result rail shares were the one strong feature of the investment markets, other stocks, principally war-affected issues, being lower, listless and in poor demand. Prices of live cattle went to $10.05 a hundred, the highest in the history of the larger yards. The output is said to be greatly under the demand.

(Abroad:) The Bank of England increased its gold holdings over $4,000,000 the past week, and the Bank of France increased $2,362,000.

(For details see financial pages.)

MAY WELCOME A BREAK.

It would seem Japan is about to break with England and conclude a separate peace with Germany. This may not be a subject of pain to Great Britain. It is more than possible that the English are waiting to be jilted by Japan as the easiest means of escape from a misalliance.

WHERE ART TRIUMPHS.

If you don't believe that quality counts go down to the Morosco Theater this week and watch the meager part of Nixon, the ex-convict, as created by James K. Applebee. This finished actor has taken a mere character bit in a play of no merit and has exalted it to the pitch of rare art.

DOUBTFUL PATRIOTS.

There is no objection to the City Council of Seattle unfurling the flag of the United States at each of its sessions. It seems absurd, however, that any city in America could feel such an action necessary. It is too much like a law that would demand that every married couple should have a marriage certificate over the front door of their home.

DESIRES TO STAND WELL.

Felix Diaz will probably support the United States against Villa and Carranza, provided the United States finds it necessary to oppose Carranza forces at any point in Mexico. Mr. Diaz realizes that there will be a good opening in his country for a bright young man as soon as this trouble has been settled.

OUR NATIONAL WEAKNESS.

This affair in Mexico is fortunate in one way. It brings home to America the need of preparedness and also shows the people what a sorry little army and navy they now have for their defense. If it strains our forces to capture a mere bandit in a land that has been exhausted by a long siege of war, what chance would we Americans have with our present armaments against a first-class power?

NOT DISTURBING.

The city of Des Moines is making itself rather ridiculous over a small negro boy who refuses to salute the flag. This little pickaninny is only 11 years old and is not a national complication. He is not an anarchist, but just a stubborn little black boy who is extremely religious and who refuses to "salute anything but his God." He would probably subside after a heart-to-heart talk with somebody who understood him, or a shingling from a teacher with less psychology and more muscle.

SAVING GRACE.

Some day a man whose career on earth was notoriously not all it should have been will be passed through the Golden Gates by Saint Peter to the astonishment of many waiting souls apparently far more deserving of heavenly passports. And when these rejected ones demand of the keeper of the gates why this man was so speedily accepted they will be informed that during the last decade he was the only candidate for eternal honors not found guilty of attempting to write a moving-picture scenario.

WHAT IS SUCCESS?

Socrates once said, "If the Almighty came to me with complete success in his right hand and an eternal struggle in his left I would take the left." A well-known American business man has gone a step further. He has said that he is actually distrustful of a success too easily attained for he knows he owes his present position to the heavy odds against him, not to the chances apparently in his favor. Yet how many men and women think ever in terms of the easy graded valley, not of the rugged mountain trail.

RIPE OLIVES.

Taste in olives is progressive. Time was when the big green Spanish olive held the first place in public esteem, an olive hard and stringy in texture, tenacious of pit, salty and ligneous in mastication. We have changed all that. Now the ripe purple California olive, oily and smooth, full of the real olive flavor, easily detached from the seed by a roll of the tongue is the only one the connoisseur will accept.

The California Olive Association has accordingly defined the ripe olive as it should be selected in the picking to meet the demands of the best trade. The hard green olive is a thing of the past. This is all to the advantage of the consumer. An unripe olive has neither the nourishment nor the flavor of the mature product, allowed to accumulate its full quantity of essential oil that constitutes the food value of the fruit. Even at that a proper distinction must be drawn between the ripe olive and the cured olive, as any tenderfoot who has tasted the fruit fresh from the tree will be ready to admit.

THE BRILLIANT MILITARY RECORD OF NEWTON D. BAKER.

Bring on the dogs of Ares! Let Mars throw away his scabbard; let the valkyries scream; let the doors in the temple of two-faced Janus be opened; let hell break loose or Roosevelt make a speech; let any warlike calamity befall us and we of America need have no fear while Josephus Daniels sits upon the left hand of Mr. Wilson as Secretary of the Navy and Newton Diehl Baker sits upon his right hand as Secretary of War.

Mr. Secretary Josephus Daniels is so notably Secretary of the Navy that he recently recalled the cruiser Tennessee from Haiti, fitted her up handsomely and issued a special order allowing a group of officials or, in other words, influential Democrats with jobs, commissioned to attend a financial congress to Buenos Aires, to take their wives with them on this merry yachting trip aboard a warship.

That is Mr. Secretary Daniels's latest exploit. So it is very apparent that he intends to set for Mr. Secretary of War Baker that same hard pace in military preparedness and efficiency which for some three years he set for Mr. Secretary of War Garrison—a pace so swift and gruelling that Mr. Garrison at last resigned in ill-concealed disgust.

Newton D. Baker began his brilliant career as soldier on December 3, 1871, when, after an aeronautical experience with the stork, he descended to his father's home at Martinsburg, W. Va. Some time later he was graduated from that famous military academy, Johns Hopkins; then took a post-graduate course in Washington and Lee University, which could only be a little more fitted to train future Secretaries of War if it were called Washington, Lee and Grant University.

After this, by way of preparation for the great hour, he imbibed the flavor of politics as private secretary to the Postmaster-General, but soon afterwards entered upon the practice of law. If there is any one profession that better fits a man for the mastery of war than another it is certainly through legal battles. The Honorable Josephus has shown that the newspaper office, with its oceans of printer's ink, is the ideal preparatory school for nautical matters, and that if one is an editor he need not know so much as "port" from "starboard" to be able to supervise the opinions of weather-beaten admirals. Mr. Secretary Baker stuck to the law and so efficiently studied and conducted his campaigns that in 1912 he won a great victory and was elected Mayor of Cleveland. In 1914 he won another great victory and was retained as Mayor of Cleveland.

Thus it was that when Mr. Wilson cast about in the perilous hour of foreign controversies for someone to sit upon his right hand he reviewed the military record of Newton Diehl Baker and tucked him into the Secretaryship of War.

As all great men of war (of his type) have been, Mr. Secretary Baker is a dreamer, a visionary, seeing things invisible to the eyes of others, as, for instance, much sense in Maeterlinck's metaphysics.

He assumed his office auspiciously. He was personally conducted to the chair Mr. Garrison had precipitately abandoned by that able seaman, Editor Josephus Daniels, and no doubt this three-year veteran of the navy whispered many gentle words of encouragement that escaped the lynx-eared reporters. It is not beyond conjecture that Mr. Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who so gallantly recalled the Tennessee from the troublesome port of Haiti for the Democrats with jobs and wives and who so generously took upon himself the burden of all work and worry from his admirals and directed the movements of the fleet at Vera Cruz, suggested to Mr. Secretary of War Baker that in case any knotty problems popped up that he, Josephus himself, editor of the Raleigh News and Observer, would be glad to offer his mature advice.

As though the watchful destiny that guards America felt the right man was at last Secretary of War, the Mexican crisis, in abeyance and impending for years, broke the same week that Mr. Secretary Baker assumed office. Villa decided to kick a hole in the Ship of State, and while that metaphor perhaps implies that the "punishment" of Villa would come under the supervision of the nautical Mr. Secretary Daniels, still it is to Mr. Secretary Baker that Uncle Sam has turned trustfully and with a comfortable feeling of security. May his campaigns in Mexico be conducted with the same daring finesse and effectiveness that he displayed in Cleveland!

IS THE END IN SIGHT?

A gathering together of the straws to determine how the war winds are blowing across the Atlantic affords a basis for the belief that before the end of the year the storm will have spent its fury. At last a definite desire for peace seems to animate all the belligerent nations.

The most determined of the war lords are anxious for a verdict, are evidently laying plans on both sides to force an issue one way or the other or, if the present deadlock proves to be unbreakable, then to eliminate the bloodshed and to change the nature of the contest. Moreover, if the war lords hesitate, signs are accumulating that the peoples themselves of the fighting nations will rise and show their hands.

Internal harmony has been sedulously fostered and all talk of dissatisfaction with the war methodically suppressed by the war offices and press censors of Germany, Great Britain, France and Austria. But evidence is not wanting that the people are wearying and growing restive under the intolerable burdens, every day growing more grievous, they are forced to bear for carrying on this indeterminate, expensive, wanton and cruel slaughter.

Germany is feeling the pinch far worse than is given out by her statesmen; famished Austria is not at all satisfied with the Pyrrhic victories she has won through the prowess of her senior partner; recruiting in Great Britain is demonstrating how many citizens are moving heaven and earth to avoid military service; France is ready to lay down her arms guaranteed her national integrity; Russia is divided by conflicting elements in her bureaucracy, and that bureaucracy is fighting outside enemies with the right hand and the claims of Slav democracy with the left. Bulgaria is already indisposed; Serbia and Belgium are prostrate, and the Turk becomes every day a sicker man.

So the general suffering imposed not only

Watch, But Don't Wait!

on millions of soldiers, but even more on tens of millions of civilians supporting them—at the will of a few autocrats—seems before long likely to reach the point where, unless a definite result is reached, an end of the present violent phase of the international struggle will be demanded.

No longer do the allies talk of the utter crushing of Germany as a sine qua non before any sort of peace terms will be considered. The British and French people are finding out, what the diplomats have long known, that such a conclusion is impossible and, even if possible, altogether undesirable. The German people, too, are discovering how barren of results have been the victorious feats of their armies while they see the general suffering hideously augmented as the carnage is carried on. The report of a few miles gained on this or that front is poor compensation for the trainload after trainload of wounded soldiers constantly being returned to the Fatherland.

All the belligerents are turning their energies more decidedly to the problems of the commercial future that every fresh month of armed conflict renders darker and more dubious; a future far more important to their national life and interests than capturing isolated forts or holding long lines of trenches.

Gen. Joffre has fixed July as the last month of the war. The great London insurance house of Lloyds is gambling on peace by next August; Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg has been officially sounding Ambassador Gerard as to the possibility of utilizing the good services of the United States in formulating preliminary peace pour parlers.

After armed hostilities have ceased and the soldiers have returned to civil life a bitter commercial war may follow before real harmony is restored, but this commercial war at least will be more humane because amenable to international law and the fair competition for trade will in time foster a friendly spirit again among the present bitter antagonists.

A RIDICULOUS MEASURE.

The new administration shipping bill is as fine a specimen of circumlocutory legislation as ever emanated from a "how-not-to-do-it" factory. Its professed aim is to "encourage, develop and create a naval auxiliary and naval reserve" and "a merchant marine to meet the requirements of the commerce of the United States." It develops a naval auxiliary by commandeering ships of commerce, and it creates a merchant marine by stripping the navy of its auxiliary. The Secretary of the Navy needs a vessel as an auxiliary cruiser and seizes her in Boston Harbor and sends her to New York. There she is wanted by the proposed shipping board to take a cargo of wheat to Liverpool, and she becomes a vessel of commerce. The case, says the New York Nation, "seems to be continually one of now you see the ship and now you don't." "Such awkwardness and apparent working at cross purposes are inherent in any scheme of the kind. This particular scheme is a compromise of a compromise. Fragments of last year's plan are taken and worked into the new structure. Small wonder that the whole looks rather patchy! Difficulties of all kinds in the working of the measure leap to the eye of one who reads it, but a grand solvent is provided. This is the Shipping Board itself which the bill creates. With the Secretary of the Navy and the Secretary of Commerce members ex-officio, it is to be composed of three commissioners. Nothing is said of their qualifications, but they will have to be miracles of wisdom and of executive skill if they are to be able to solve all the problems, and discharge all the duties, thrust upon them in the shipping bill. Its drafters went seemingly on the theory that, whenever they came upon a nut too hard for them to crack, they would deftly refer it to the Shipping Board. That body is to decide what vessels are to be bought, built, chartered or leased; what routes they are to sail; what rates to charge. If ships are to be sold to the government, or rented to it, the purchase price or the rental will be fixed by the same infallible Shipping Board."

One of the incomprehensible contradictions of the act is as to whether ships constructed or purchased under it shall have an American register or not. Section 6 declares that "all vessels" within the purview of the act shall be "registered or enrolled under the laws of the United States;" but in sections four and five the statement is that there must be American registry "unless otherwise authorized and approved by said board."

What a spectacle it would be if the Shipping Board should seek and obtain the consent of the Minister from Sweden to give Swedish registration to an American-built ship owned by the United States in order that she might, with greater safety, convey a cargo of wheat to Stockholm!

RIPPLING RHYMES.

POPULATION.

Prune Center is a hustling town. For liveliness it has renown. The leading boosters stand and crow, "Just watch our population grow!" All new arrivals have their charms; they're welcomed there with open arms. All sorts of cheap and worthless lads, the deadbeats from the other grads, the loafers who, for vagrant ways, have drawn ten dollars or ten days, who'll work the town for grub and coal—just so they swell the census roll, they're welcomed with a hip-hooray, and told to camp right down and stay. If I were owner of a town, and wished to give it high renown, I'd see that no one settled there without a record clean and fair. I'd have a censor in each street, the new-arriving gents to meet, and he would warn the worthless skate to turn around and pull his freight. You don't invite the worthless dub to seek your home and eat your grub. Then why invite him to your town and beg that he will settle down?

WALT MASON.

Dreams Come True.

[Minneapolis Journal:] The other day John A. Hill died in New York. Did you ever hear of him? He is described as "a man of millions." He was the publisher of the Engineering News and Mining Journal, the Coal Age and other trade publications.

A quarter of a century ago, or a bit more, Mr. Hill was engineer of a freight train in the Colorado Mountains. One day, while the train waited on a siding, he and his fireman leaned from the cab and gazed dreamily at the distant mountaintops. The fireman spoke first.

"What are you dreaming about, John?" he asked.

"I was dreaming that I'm going to have a million dollars some day," answered the engineer. "What were you dreaming about?"

"Oh, I was dreaming that I'll write a book some day," answered the fireman.

The story is true. The fireman told it. His name was Cy Warman, and he published his book—several of them, in fact—and reached the hearts of millions by his songs. Thus the dreams of those young dreamers came true.

National Editorial Service.

WHAT THE SWISS SYSTEM REALLY MEANS.

[CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES]

BY ALBERT PAILLARD,

Captain of Artillery of Fort St. Maurice, Rhone Valley, Army of the Republic of Switzerland.

IN THE general discussion in regard to military preparedness in the United States frequent mention has been made of the Swiss system of military training, and many are urging that the United States military establishment be patterned after that of Switzerland. Yet it is by no means certain that this system is fully understood in detail, even by those who commend it.

When called to my regiment in the summer of 1914 our system was receiving the great test as to its efficiency, and as we have stood upon our frontiers every condition save that of actual warfare has been successfully met.

No one has cared to violate Swiss territory or interfere with the rights of our country, because the first hostile act would array against the offender an army of five hundred thousand men, fully prepared, equipped, supplied and trained, and that, too, in a republic of only four millions population. A like proportion recruited in the United States would produce an army of twelve million.

The organization of the Swiss army is thoroughly democratic. Every man, when he is 19 years of age, must go to the recruiting station and report. If he is fit for service physically he must enter the army and join the school of recruits serving there from sixty-seven to ninety days, according to the branch of the service to which he is assigned.

Every year afterwards, for a period of eight years, the recruit must serve from thirteen to sixteen days.

After that, and until a man is 33 years old, he is liable to be called to the colors in case of emergency, but need otherwise perform no service. From 33 to 40 all citizens in training become members of the reserves and must serve once or twice during that time for periods of thirteen to sixteen days.

When a man is 41 he goes into the second reserve, until 48, during which time he is called upon for no service, saving in case of mobilization for defense.

All of the infantry, cavalry, engineers and some of the artillery are given rifles and other suitable equipment, besides uniforms. All of this property is kept by the men at their homes and belongs to them at the end of their service.

Besides the times of service prescribed every man must go to inspection once each year, when not serving otherwise during the year, and men with rifles must qualify as marksmen every year, or, failing that, must practice for three days under instruction.

Should a man be found incapable of service at 19, or at any time after that, or should he be out of the country at the time for service, he must pay every year while not in service, according to his financial ability or the wealth of his family.

The officers of the army are chosen from the recruits according to ability, corporals first, and then on as promotion is earned in the opinion of the senior officers, who give their entire lives to the military service.

The highest rank in the Swiss army on a peace footing is that of colonel with pay, when on duty, of $5 per day. A captain receives $2 and a lieutenant $1.20. In case of war a general is chosen, with pay of $10 per day. Privates receive 16 cents each per day.

Upon beginning his training every man receives a military book, and in that is kept a full record of his military service and promotions, tabulated and systematized to the last degree. Thus the entire body of the Swiss nation is prepared to protect its land.

No nation can find advantageous the occupation of a country so defended, either for acquisition or as a means to reach an enemy. In the present conflict any power which should attempt so to do would at once extend the borders requiring defense and suffer the withdrawal from other fronts of troops there greatly needed. The attacking force would be met and held by Switzerland, and this without taxing in the least the other opponents of the aggressor.

In other respects than as a democracy may Switzerland be likened to the United States, in that neither nation can conceive that its army ever should be used for aggression.

While I was a resident in the United States I observed the conditions, and from my familiarity with the people, feel sure that the system of training which I have enjoyed, and an army formed like the one of which I am still a member, would be excellently adapted to conditions in the United States. It is good for democracy and it is good for the country, entirely different from the system of Germany, where rights of purchase introduce class distinctions from the beginning and throughout the service.

WORDS USED BY TOMMY ATKINS.

[London Tit-Bits:] Thomas O'Toole, in his book "A Way They Have in the Army."

Bag-y—An enlisted boy.

Baggies—"Tommy's" name for sailors in the navy—obviously a reference to the sailors' wide trousers.

Blighty—Home.

Bobtack—Powder mixed into a paste to clean buttons and brasswork on equipment.

Bobygee—A soldier cook. In India a native one.

Bundook—A rifle.

Bun-Wallah—A soldier who drinks nothing stronger than tea, and is, in consequence, supposed to eat voraciously of buns.

Chips—The "Tommy's" pet designation for the regimental pioneer sergeant, who is usually by trade a carpenter.

Chucking a Dummy—When a man faints on parade he is said to have "chucked a dummy." The term is also applied to men who report ill without reasonable cause.

Dog's Leg—The first stripe a man receives on promotion.

Doolally Tap—When a soldier becomes mentally unbalanced he is said to have received the "Doolally tap."

Gravel Crushers—Infantry soldiers.

Quarter Bloke—The irreverent way in which the officer holding the rank of quartermaster is referred to.

Rookey—A recruit.

Root-Y—Bread.

Scrounger—A man with plenty of resource in obtaining that which he wants.

Slingers—A meal of bread and tea.

Square-Pushing—Courting.

Square-Bit—A best girl.

Stir—Imprisonment in a military detention barracks.

Swinging the Lead—This is the equivalent of the civilian expression, "Telling the tale."

Tin Opener—This is "Tommy's" light-hearted name for his bayonet.

Vamping—Eating heartily.

Yob—One who is easily fooled.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Why shouldn't the Pershing Expedition be a rugged race!

Should not this library sign be altered to read "Only low talk allowed here."

When it comes to the human race, some of the biggest are of very light weight.

Speaking of fashions, the twelve-yard skirt is all the go in prohibition communities.

If Justice Hughes would shave [illegible] would be simply nothing to the opposition.

The small boy who has a shot rifle is a better insurance risk than one who has a motorcycle.

Looked through a fashion magazine the other day for cuts of "working aprons" for girls and could find none.

The announcement is now made that the Panama isthmus will be permanently [illegible] out of the canal on April 15.

A stork has recently escaped from the Boston Zoo. There are a lot of folks in Los Angeles who are looking for the [illegible] bird.

Two provinces in China have proclaimed their independence of the rule of Yuan Shi Kai. Even the "chinks" are rolling in their sleep.

Ex-Secretary Garrison has conducted himself with such nice propriety since he resigned that we almost wish he had resigned long ago.

It is reported that the Austrians have evacuated Uscieczko, but beyond that they appear to be all right. They were there quite a spell.

Pupils in the Logan county [illegible] schools get six merit marks for every ball taken. Wonder if the teachers take the word of the boys for it?

President Wilson ought to admit the necessity of some of the foes of preparedness. He was in their shoes a year ago. They simply haven't caught up yet.

Gen. Funston does not appear to be waiting until the roads dry up, as did the late George Brinton McClellan in his [illegible] on-to-Richmond campaign.

The air is full of peace reports—with parties of the great war willing to [illegible] reason. The next few months are likely to be fraught with great results.

Congressman Claude Kitchin also "[illegible] ens" to leave Congress. Why doesn't Claude take a turn on the Orpheum circuit? Hayfeld is always looking for funny [illegible].

An eastern inventor, Craig Skelton, [illegible] he has perfected a distillery that will go in a package that can be easily carried. Wonder if he is any relation to Heller Skelton?

Democrats who say they want to bet that Wilson will be re-elected ought to try their poker. They will not probably [illegible] but they will have more of a run for their money.

The definition of temperance given by the eloquent Bob Ingersoll still holds. He described it as "the golden path about a strip of verdure that lies between the deserts of extremes."

Ex-Senator Henry Gassaway Davis, who recently died at his home in Elkins, W. Va., left a fortune of $30,000,000. But [illegible] with that middle name certainly has something coming to him.

Some day we shall have a President who will get away from the practice of appointing politicians to head the War and Navy Departments and select those from the service who have professional qualifications.

It is reported that the allies will [illegible] Belgium to have something to say about the peace terms. But it is hoped that Belgium will not stand on one foot until there is an opportunity for such participation.

Napoleon used to say that an army [illegible] on its belly. Meaning that it was necessary to feed an army to accomplish anything. But that was before the reign of the [illegible] some cactus and the alkali dust of Mexico.

J. Mitchell Palmer says he will carry Pennsylvania for Wilson. And he will have about the same luck at the job of the President enjoyed when he tried to swing Pennsylvania for Palmer. Both was run over.

The vanishing Jean Crouse, who tried to poison the guests at a banquet [illegible] Archbishop Mundelein of Chicago, is out in $75,000 bail. But as Crouse is still at large and spends his time making the police of a dozen cities appear foolish, [illegible] should worry.

Hon. Warren Gamaliel Harding of Ohio is talked of as the likely selection for temporary chairman of the Chicago convention. Harding is a fine speaker. His tribute to the late Senator Mark Hanna before the Ohio Legislature is a classic. And he never slops over.

The march through Mexico is not a grand sweet song. With the [illegible] clouds of dust, the difficulty of [illegible] food and the harassing of the [illegible] campaign of Funston is likely to go down as one of the big things accomplished by American troops.

LISTENING TO THE WIND.

God is at the Organ!
I can hear
A mighty music
Echoing far and near.

God is at the Organ!
And its keys
Are rolling waters, storm-given [illegible]
Trees.

God is at the Organ!
I can hear
A mighty music
Echoing far and near.

—[From "Brookdown and Other Poems," by Egbert T. Sandford.

Peppery.

THREATS DELAY TUGWELL TRIAL

Taker of a Missing Witness Menaces Defense Lawyer.

Judge Takes Stand; Attorney Disputes Testimony.

Prosecution Scores When Dead Woman's Gem is Traced.

The prosecution scored heavily and often in the trial of Percy Tugwell yesterday. The day's proceedings were sensational and dramatic, and at one time the case was halted ten minutes while an altercation was settled. At another juncture Judge Houser retired from the bench to the witness stand and testified as to things Attorney Rogers had told him. Interrupted by that defense lawyer with a shriek, the judge was on the verge of holding the attorney in contempt, when an apology was made.

But at the close of the session the prosecution secured positive identification of the diamond sold by Tugwell to Albert Theisinger, a manufacturing jeweler. W. H. Starr, a diamond expert and neighbor of Mrs. Maud Kenyon, whom it is charged Tugwell murdered, positively declared the gem belonged to the slain woman and that she had asked him to examine it. This was just a short time before her death in a vacant lot near Hoover avenue and West Jefferson street.

Attorney Frank Domingues examined the witness at great length, but could not shake his testimony that the stone contains two small nicks and a flaw and was the same introduced in evidence by Deputy District Attorney Baker. Jeweler Theisinger testified that the evening of the day after the crime Percy Tugwell called him on the telephone and the next day met him in person, offering to sell the diamond. Mr. Theisinger said the defendant had explained the stone belonged to his fiancee and the money obtained for it was to be used in getting married. Mr. Theisinger stated he sold the stone to George A. Heinemann, another jeweler, for $50.

CHANGES TESTIMONY.

When the latter was called to the stand he practically repudiated the testimony he had given at the preliminary hearing and the first trial of Tugwell, failing to identify the stone.

Harry O. Keller, the only witness to the alleged slaying, was on the stand earlier in the day. He described what he had seen in the vacant lot—an apparent quarrel between a man and woman, which he had considered a love fight. Mr. Keller described the figure of the man as corresponding to that of Tugwell. At this point Defense Attorney Giesler called attention to the fact that in previous hearings Mr. Keller had described the assailant of the woman as a tall-shouldered and heavily built.

During the examination of this witness Deputy District Attorney Doran asked whether it was not a fact that Mr. Keller had been employed by Attorney Rogers subsequent to his testimony at the preliminary hearing. The witness admitted this, stating he had worked about a month under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Rogers in drawing plans for a proposed new residence, and had been paid for his services. He stated, however, that he had not been influenced by this in giving to the attorney his affidavit regarding the struggle as he had seen it.

Immediately after Keller's dismissal from the stand Walter Gorsuch was called. He is the father of Llewellyn Gorsuch, a boy who at the first trial testified to selling young Tugwell the shotgun with which Mrs. Kennedy alleged to have been killed. This boy is mysteriously gone; the witness declared that he could not tell where.

"Didn't you tell John Tugwell, father of the defendant, that the prosecution had your boy 'ditched?'" asked Attorney Rogers.

"No; I said they had him locked up," he stated.

"Then do you mean by they?" asked Mr. Rogers.

"You! I mean you!" replied the witness in sudden rage.

SHOUTS THREAT.

With this he left the stand and went toward the door of the courtroom. Attorney Rogers suggested to the court that he was sorry for the statement of the witness and wished the record could be produced.

Mr. Gorsuch overheard this and shouted: "If you wish he is here why don't you bring him? I'll knock your brains out! I want you, boy!"

The bailiff immediately caught Mr. Gorsuch and took him back to the bench, where he apologized and burst into tears, explaining to the court that he was overwrought by the circumstances. Judge Houser decided to fine him in contempt of court, but did not inflict a fine, stating that he would withhold doing this until the conclusion of the trial. The future actions of Mr. Gorsuch will have much to do with the amount of the fine.

A recess of ten minutes was called to establish order, and it was after this that Judge Houser took the stand to testify that Attorney Rogers had informed him of the disappearance of the boy and of the suspicion which had been cast upon the defense in that act.

It is possible the prosecution will rest its case today.

FOR EXTRADITION.

Postoffice Robber to Come Before Federal Commissioner.

The question of the removal of Walter C. Cox, charged with forging money orders, to Leonardo, N. J., for trial, will come before United States Commissioner Hammack, this morning. Cox was arrested at Santa Barbara, but is wanted at both Leonardo and Allentown, N. C., on the charge of robbing postoffices. After the cases against him in the East are disposed of he will be returned here for the forging of money orders stolen from the Santa Barbara office.

Cox claims to be a pharmacist, and that he was at one time employed as a chemist on a Birmingham (Ala.) paper. As an evidence of his cleverness it is stated that he disposed of many of the money order blanks he is alleged to have stolen from the postoffices and secured from $10 to $35 on each order. Cox seems to be anxious to be returned East for trial, and it is understood he will make no objection this morning to his removal.

Mrs. D. C. Scott Hamilton,

Organizer and charter member of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, O.E.S., whose funeral will be held today.

Vale.

NOTABLE WOMAN PASSES.

Funeral Services Arranged for Mrs. D. C. Scott Hamilton, Who was Organizer and Charter Member of Acacia Chapter, O.E.S.

Funeral services for Mrs. D. C. Scott Hamilton, organizer and charter member of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, the mother chapter of the Eastern Star of this city, will be held at the chapel of the Connell company at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The services will be in joint charge of W. C. Clatworthy and of the White Shrine of Jerusalem, of which body Mrs. Hamilton was also a charter member.

The impressive funeral services of the Order of the Eastern Star will be observed for the dead woman at the grave in Evergreen Cemetery. Mrs. Hamilton was a resident of this city for forty years, and was the wife of D. C. Scott Hamilton, a prominent oil man. She leaves a son, Edward Davis; a daughter, Mrs. Ella Butler, and a grand-daughter, whom she raised, Mrs. Fannia Gore, all of this city.

"BLUE GIRL" ARRAIGNED.

For want of Bail in Bad Check Charge She Goes to Jail.

Anna Redmond, the "blue girl," whose nobby attire from tip of toe to top of crown attracted so much attention when she was arrested and lodged in the City Jail, was the center of attraction in Justice Forbes's court yesterday afternoon. Accompanied by her attorney, Frank Dominguez, she was arraigned and her preliminary examination set for tomorrow morning. She is accused of having passed a number of bad checks. In lieu of the bond of $1000, set by the court, she was sent to the County Jail.

FUNERAL OF MRS. WELLS.

The funeral of Mrs. Grace A. E. Wells, 63 years old, who died Wednesday evening at her home, No. 1120 West Forty-seventh street, after a lingering illness, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Pierce Bros.' parlors. Mrs. Wells was born in Pittsburgh, and came to California twenty-five years ago, when she settled in Santa Ana. A few years later she came to Los Angeles. She had a wide circle of friends and was well known for her acts of charity. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. E. G. Hookstratten and a son, James B. Wells, a well-known business man.

Cheaper Than Staying in Town.

The Times excursion ticket to San Joaquin Valley is $15. It includes berth three nights, all meals, auto rides, entertainments and round trip transportation. The Times Excursion Department.

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

[The Times invites strong, clear, bright expression of opinion on current subjects, timely, pertinent and popular. Brevity should be kept in sight. Essays eschewed. Religious and personal controversies are taboo. Value is added to such letters by the signing of the writer's true name, which will be either published or withheld at the owner's request. Letters offered for publication should be in "parliamentary" language, and are subject to editorial supervision.]

Save Historic Names.

LOS ANGELES, March 23.—[To the Editor of The Times:] It appears that the city fathers of this city are devoting a great deal of their time and energy to the obliteration of the historical names of our streets, with ruthless disregard for their historical value, and in lieu thereof substituting names of absolutely no significance.

It is appalling to think that these newly-transplanted residents, who are deriving the benefits of the pioneer, should wilfully disregard the importance of preserving all of that which is so closely identified with the early history and development of not only this county, but the State of California.

"Downey," for instance. J. G. Downey was one of the early Governors of this State, a pioneer and lifelong resident of Los Angeles. Dr. Griffin, also a pioneer, in respect and friendship for his associate, bestowed that name upon the principal street in East Los Angeles. Now, with this new act, no vestige of that historic name will be left to grace this city.

Then again, whoever but an idiot should confuse an "Arroyo Seco" with an "Arroyo Glen?" If the name must be changed let it be entirely in English or entirely in Spanish. Why hyphenate two languages? But this is of little importance. What I desire to impress upon these city fathers and those who have adopted our city as a residence is the importance of preserving for all time those historic names sacred to the memory of the pioneers of this State. These old names should be honored and revered, for these pioneers, through every vicissitude in life, established the foundation of this, our beautiful, city which is now being enjoyed by a community that perhaps "hasn't time" to appreciate the memory of those who have left this inheritance.

I again repeat, preserve the old names and landmarks. It is a sacrilege to obliterate them. It is a religious duty you owe to yourselves as well as to their memory for this inheritance.

PERRIE KEWEN.

WOULD AID FUNSTON.

Maj. Monroe, Old Indian Fighter, Offers Services to Country.

Monrovia has a high regard for Maj. W. N. Monroe. This regard was increased when it became known that the old Indian fighter had in a letter to Maj.-Gen. Funston offered his services as a scout with the United States cavalry in Mexico. Although he is 75, Maj. Monroe is vigorous. He has a thorough knowledge of Mexico, having built railroads in the republic and during this work he was appointed an alcalde by Gov. Maćero.

Maj. Monroe is the father of George Monroe, clerk of Judge Myer's court. He stands 6 feet tall and before gray appeared in his hair, he was redheaded and a valiant fighter. He was in the First Iowa Cavalry and the Seventh Iowa Cavalry and later he was assigned to Fort Kearney during the Indian trouble.

Staub's For Shoes

It is necessary to pay a high price for your Footwear — if you know where to buy it. At Staub's, even highest qualities are very reasonably priced. Moderate prices, from

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The Popular Price Shoe Store
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Dresses

—and each a masterpiece

Individuality — just a touch here and there — a frill or garniture that lifts each dress into the realm of inspired style.

$15.00, $19.50, $22.50
$29.50, $35.00 to $50.00

See, here is a coat dress of pongee in Russian blouse effect at $29.50; and this one of blue georgette and flowered charmeuse at $49.50; and at $19.50 is one of gray chiffon taffeta and georgette with Quaker collar. There are others, too, in rose, blue, copen, Cress green, storm gray and two-tone effects.

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Each Hat Interprets Some Feature of Present Fashion

As the clever designers see it; there are all the handsome productions from our own workrooms that excel all previous efforts, the choicest creations from New York's famous milliners, all join in a most emphatic announcement of a new season, full of color and beauty.

Large and Small Hats Abound. High Effects are Prominent. Rolled Brims are in Evidence. Many Silk and Fabric Hats Seen. Soft Undulating Brims are New. Transparent Hats are Well Liked.

It is to be a gay season, and Hats are announcing it. Notice the extravagant use of flowers, the fluttering veils, the gay ribbons, the drooping brims of lace or tulle.

(Millinery; Main Floor)

A Color Touch Distinguishes Neckwear

There seems to be a revival of 1830 fashions in neckwear this spring — deep cape collars, fichus and cape-ruffs, quaintly fashioned, are among the new—youthful, soft and entrancingly dainty in conception. Such colors as rose, blue, tan, Oriental blue, pink, sky, lavender, black-and-white, are much used; choicest materials are organdie, voile, net and marquisette; there is much to see and admire at .....50c to $15.00

Colored Rufflings, too, are novel, shown in widths from 2½ to 7 inches; many of them two-toned, and priced at **35c to 65c a yard.**

(Neckwear; Main Floor)

Here at last—the popular COLLEGE STRIPE Cottons; 36 inches wide, in every favorite spring color, only fifty cents a yard.

(Wash Materials; Rear South Aisle)

All the Good Colors (and White) Here in Corduroys

Corduroys are so popular, and so increasingly difficult to buy, that it is no wonder many of the "off" shades are being shown in them. But they are not here at Coulter's — we bought early, and insisted, as always, upon the very cream of the choicest; so—

For Sports Coats and Suits we are showing fine qualities of corduroys in white, sports shades and colors suitable for wear upon the street—

In 27-inch width, white velvet cords, at .....$1 to $1.25

In 32-inch width, white velvet cords, a wonder at 85c

In 36-inch width, white velvet cords at .....$1 and $1.50

In 28-inch width, dark colored corduroys, at .....$1 and $1.25

In 27-inch width, the vivid sports corduroy shades $1.25

Colors to be had are rose, mais, gold, Irish, coral, putty, Hague and red; and every one of them is a correct color.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

White Chinchilla Coats are High in Fashion's Favor

Whether you look better in a short or a three-quarters length chinchilla coat, we have it here, waiting for you, and in the smartest imaginable styles, too.

For two New York buyers are right now sending us, almost daily, new selections in these immensely popular garments of white chinchilla.

We particularly urge your inspection of the quality of the material in these garments, as well as their chic style; we are sure you will regard them as well worth the prices we have placed on them, $15.50 to $20.

(Garments; Second Floor)

Today's Buyers May Share in These Linen Values

Which are truly unusual, with the present trade conditions, which make real bargains in linens increasingly difficult to secure:

Asbestos Mats, 25c—and up to 90c—with removable linen covers; a new assortment has just arrived in all sizes of round or oval; covered with a pure linen doilie, nicely scalloped, and easily removed from the mat for laundering.

Bath Mats, 65c—new Turkish bath mats; in pink, blue, brown or green; good size and weight.

Bath Towels, 25c—extra large and heavy towels with colored borders in lavender, blue, pink or yellow.

Table Linen, $1.25—extra heavy and fine pure bleached Irish damask; launders smoothly; twelve new designs in this. Napkins to match this $1.25 linen, are wonderfully good values, in size 22x22, at **$3.50 dozen.**

Shamrock Napkins, $3.85—22x22-inch size; the kind with a guarantee woven in each corner; a limited quantity of the regular $5 napkins, special, dozen.....$3.85

Napkins, $2.90 Doz. — another lot of 22x22-inch snow white pure Irish linen napkins, in five good designs; regularly $3.50.

Napkins, $5 Doz.—25x25; pure bleached extra size linen napkins in fleur de lis or scroll pattern; a value at $7.50.

(Linens; Rear South Aisle)

For Your Dressing Table

25c can **Jergen's Crushed Violets or Roses Talcum Powder, 19c**

Poudre de Riz, a rice powder manufactured in France; put up in rachel, rosee, blanche and chair 35c

Toilet Soaps—Cocoa Oil, Buttermilk, Quaker Oatmeal, Transparent Glycerine, Elderflower and Peroxide; in a limited quantity only; regular 10c cakes; **four for** 25c

5c **Wash Cloths, three for 10c.**

50c Challenge Brand **Rubber Gloves,** all sizes 35c

35c **Tooth Brushes;** every one guaranteed; assorted handles and a style for every one; **now 25c, two for** 45c

10c roll or flat **Toilet Tissue;** large packages; good quality, each 5c

$1.50 **Shaving Mugs**...$1.00

60c **Jewel Cases** 35c

(Toilet Goods; South Aisle)

Dainty House Dresses $6.50 to $13.50

Women fall in love with these dainty dresses of soft figured lawns and voiles in sheer quality, exquisitely trimmed with pretty laces and tiny ruffles here and there.

We are showing some unusually pretty combinations of linen and voile in the lot, all of them inexpensive, at $6.50 to $13.50.

Flannel Sports Suits $22.50

For the girl who loves the out-of-doors here is the last word in sports suits—these of flannel, in green, rose or white. They are cut with a natty Norfolk jacket and will be vastly becoming to anybody who frequents Country Clubs and resorts; priced at $22.50

(Garments; Second Floor)

"Silkenfiel"—the New Silverbloom Fabric in Woolen Goods

And now comes the Silverbloom family, showing the beautiful Silkenfiel — the fabric of a thousand uses; it will make an instant hit with women, if we are any judges of worth and desirability in woolen materials:

For Women's Garments—Silkenfiel will be much used for Middy blouses and skirts, for sports garments, for afternoon costumes and for traveling purposes—you see what a range of fashionable colors must be included to be suitable for so many purposes.

Silkenfiel fabrics and colors are **guaranteed** not to fade; they are sun and tub-proof; they may be laundered like a pocket handkerchief, which makes them highly desirable.

The lovely **silvery frost** on the surface of Silkenfiel sparkles like the finest silk; and this brilliancy will not wear or wash off. Silkenfiel fabrics are guaranteed to wear a year.

For Children's Garments—Silkenfiel is unsurpassed; it wears like buckskin, sheds dust and dirt easily and does not soil quickly.

Shown in Minerva Military Suiting, in plain colors; and in stripes of varying widths and all popular colors $1.25

(Wool Goods; Broadway Annex)

Redfern and Warner Corsets Are Ideal

"A woman must know her corset before she attempts to wear it."

Do you know your corset before you make your purchase? The reputation of a corset should weight with you in its selection. On it depend your appearance, your comfort, yes, even your health.

Redfern Corsets

Redfern Corsets have a reputation for style, comfort and service. Intimate connections with the fashion rulers enable the Redfern designers to produce designs — lace back and lace front—accurately adapted for the modes of dress. These designs are then worked out with choice materials to stand the strains of active wear.

Redfern Corsets sell at $3.50 to $10; and **Warner Corsets,** made by the same good firm, but of less expensive materials, are **$1 to $3.**

(Corsets; Second Floor)

Children's Patent Leather Belts

These clever patent belts come in red, black or white, and although their prices have been 35c and 50c, we shall sell them on Friday for just.....10c

(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

Vacuum Food Jars Cut

Like a Vacuum Bottle, except that they have wide mouths, for containing soup, salad or ice cream; they come in heavy nickel and are seamless; a luxury for picnickers or motorists:

Quarts, reg. $3.50..$3.00 Pints, reg. $2.50..$2.00

(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

Stamped Pillow Cases

Brand new pillow cases of exceptionally good quality, in six different attractive patterns, all stamped ready for embroidering, only fifty cents pair.

50c PAIR

Free Embroidery Instructions—are given daily between 10 and 12; why not join a class now and learn to do lovely art needlework without cost?

(Art Needlework; Third Floor)

COULTER'S — 215-229 South Broadway 224-228 South Hill Street—COULTER'S

Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—The Theaters.

SOCIETY.

The King and Queen of Spain were unable to be present in person Wednesday night at a very colorful Spanish gathering in El Alisal, the unique home of Charles F. Lummis. But they were officially represented by their charming proxies, the Count and Countess del Valle de Salazar, just returning from San Diego, where they dedicated the banner sent by the crown of Spain for the opening of the 1916 exposition. And the company was in perfect keeping with the elaborate, old-time California dinner. Constantino, the great Spanish tenor, Mario Hediger and Serafin Pla, Spanish basso and baritone, respectivelyy, and Dona Matildita Ferrando, Spanish danseuse, all aided to make the true "atmosphere" with their art. The Countess, every inch the gracious, unaffected and womanly person whose smile would melt an army to do her bidding, sang old Spanish songs to the accompaniment of sweet-stringed instruments, and Constantino joined with Matildita in a whirlwind Spanish dance, amid the applause of the captivated guests, who were transported for the time to sunny Spain. The host, too, did a clever step with the danseuse.

Capt. and Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, Henry W. O'Melveny, Mrs. John Percival Jones, Lucie Lacoste Maddock, neice of the countess and a bewitching young woman who is fast acquiring fame as a writer (her first book of blank verse is just brought out;) Miss Moran, daughter of the great painter; Miss Kathryn M. Cocke, Miss Hilda Clough, Mrs. Pla, Mrs. Evans, Judge and Mrs. Sepulveda, Mrs. Goodman Loewenthal, Miss Manuella C. Garcia, Miss Marguerite Tew, the sculptor; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Newport, Prof. and Mrs. W. J. Bailey, Prof. J. Z. Uribura, Misses Beth and Lulu Pierce, Miss Isabel Monteith, Dr. and Mrs. Hector Alliot, Mrs. Ida B. Davis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schutz, Prof. Theodore Gordohn, Mrs. Daisy Hill, Henri la Bonte, Rosendo Uruchurtu (who delighted all with selections on a one-string musical instrument he himself invented,) and many other were present.

The long banquet board bore showers of Spanish poppies, red and yellow predominating suggestively in the decorative motif, and was centered with a baby bunny nestling in a grassy nest, contained in a glass bowl.

Another Spanish touch was added by the notification, received by the day's mail, that Dr. Lummis has been elected to the Royal Academy of Spain. Last summer he was decorated by King Alfonso as Knight Commander of the Royal Order of Isabella, and this additional great honor will be the cause of cordial felicitations upon the part of his hosts of friends who are always eager to learn of his recognition upon the part of the world.

Toasts were responded to as follows: "Spain, Mother of the New World," Count del Valle de Salazar; "Isabel la Catolica," Countess del Valle de Salazar; "California, Youngest Daughter of Spain," "Dona Tulita" Miner (Mrs. R. H.) Dr. Lummis affably welcomed the distinguished honor guests and friends in his inimitably happy vein.

Earlier in the afternoon the royal visitors, who, by the way, are pleasingly democratic, dropped in at the Miner home on West Adams street, where they were honored by members of the Angeleno Hispanic Society to tea. Mrs. George J. Denis and Mrs. Mary Wilcox Longstreet assisted Mrs. Miner.

They are leaving today for San Francisco, where the count, as special envoy for his country to America, has been enjoying a consulship residence the past four years, and where they are extremely popular.

Miss Almada a Bride.

With the utmost simplicity was the marriage of beautiful Miss Laura Almada and Senor Manuel Moreno of Guadalajara, Mex., solemnized yesterday morning at the little Church of Our Lady of Guadalupe, the impressive Spanish nuptial service being celebrated at the hour of 11 by Bishop Ramirez of Durango in the presence of a limited number of intimate friends.

Because of Lent there were no floral decorations, save a few bridal roses on the altar, though the bride was exquisite in her handsome frock of ivory satin and tulle, made en traine and trimmed with real lace. Her filmy veil was caught in the coiffure with a wreath of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower of orchids and valley lilies. Senor Jesus Almada gave his daughter in marriage, and her sole attendant was Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, gowned in chiffon of champagne tone with which she wore a chapeau of brown tulle. An ivory prayer-book was carried. John Tracey Gaffey was groomsman.

In a chic tailleur of dark blue, with hat to match, the bride later started with her husband for their honeymoon trip to the north and later they will return here ere they continue on to their future home at Guadalajara, where the Morenos have vast estates. The bride will go there no stranger, for Senor and Senora Almada, who now occupy a home at No. 956 South Arapahoe street because of turbulent conditions in their native country, have lived for years across the border and themselves have extensive possessions.

Senor Moreno received his education in England. His bride is the eldest of a trio of exceedingly charming young sisters, the Misses Aurora and Celida Almada being quite as popular in the younger set as is the former Miss Laura.

Bidden to the marriage were Capt. and Mrs. R. H. Hiner, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gaffey, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mason, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Montague Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Sayre MacNeil, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Adams, Mrs. Mary Wilcox Longstreet, Mrs. McLemore and Miss McLemore, Mrs. W. Ramsay and Miss Ramsay, the Misses Marion Louise and Charlotte Winston, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Drake, Mr. Wilcox, Marcus Marshall, K. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart O'Melveny, Mr. and Mrs. E. Creel, Mr. and Mrs. M. de Castro and Miss N. de Castro, Mrs. Rosenswel, Mrs. Nieto and the Misses Nieto, Mr. and Mrs. Sandoval and the Misses Sandoval, Mr. and Mrs. de la Vega, Mrs. de Nancy, E. Creel, Jr., Edward Creel, Terrazas, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. Freese and the Misses Freese, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes Miller and Miss Phila Miller.

Tea of Wednesday.

Covers for twelve guests were laid Wednesday afternoon in the main dining-room of the Alexandria for the tea over which Mrs. Alexander M. Vedder Schermerhorn presided in honor of Mrs. Tomlinson, solist with Mrs. Wilhelmina Rector for the Schubert programme that day. A purple lyre with strings of gold and Spanish poppies and purple iris were used decoratively.

Receiving for Mrs. Burke.

At her home, No. 15 Chester place, Mrs. Oscar David Bennett is to give a large reception between 4 and 6 o'clock this afternoon, to meet her son's charming bride, Mrs. Pascal Henry Burke, formerly Marcella Margaret Mahan.

The hostess has asked to assist her Mrs. Clark Ross Mahan, mother of Mrs. Burke, the honoree, and Mrs. Norman Bridge, Mrs. Frank Elwood Trask, Mrs. John Abramson, Mrs. Frederick Holliday, Mrs. Charles Daniel Avery, Mrs. W. A. Roberts, Mrs. N. Black, Mrs. George Lettau, Mrs. Ralph Mallette Burdick, Mrs. T. A. Thompson, Mrs. John Gilman Blystone, Miss Helen Lehman and Miss Helen Logan.

To Entertain.

Ward Dawson will give a dinner compliment to several friends at the Van Nuys Monday evening, followed by a box party at the Orpheum. He has bidden Mr. and Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney I. Wailes, Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Story, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Thomas Bruen Brown and one or two others.

Sorority Dance.

Over 150 young folks participated in a merry dancing party at the Hollywood Woman's Club Tuesday evening of last week, with members of Epsilon Chapter of the Mu Delta Sorority hostesses. Mrs. LeRoy Raymond Crawford, Miss Myra Barnwell, Misses Ida and Gladys Baciguliti, Miss Jessie Bernsten, Misses Elizabeth and Ruth Selts, Miss Mildred Snowden, Miss Eleanor Snodgrass and Miss Grace Wilson were officiaity in charge, and Mrs. Ralph Hagam, Mrs. C. A. Wilson and Mrs. E. S. Hammel were patronesses. Spring flowers beautified the clubhouse.

Here from Topeka.

Mrs. George P. Stitt and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, have arrived from Topeka for an extended stay on the Coast, and will be guests of Mrs. Mary W. Cook of No. 1420 Vista street, Hollywood, for some time.

At the Beach.

Mrs. Clyde Jones has been chaperoning a party of young girls at Redondo Beach for the week, the Misses Lucile and Marion Jones and Marguerite Cardell being of the group.

Society Matron to be Hostess Today.

Mrs. Oscar David Bennett (right,)

Who will entertain at her home in Chester Place this afternoon in honor of her son's wife, Mrs. Pascal Henry Burke, formerly Miss Marcella Margaret Mahan. With her is Mrs. Clark Ross Mahan, who will assist.

Honors.

DISTRICT ELECTS.

Club Women Name Mrs. Lloyd W. Harmon as Head of Local Division of State Federation. Hear Talk by Police Judge on Justice.

The Los Angeles District California Federation of Woman's Clubs yesterday elected Mrs. Lloyd W. Harmon president; Mrs. R. C. Shipman, recording secretary; Mrs. C. S. Bateman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. R. Goodyear, treasurer; Mrs. E. P. Foster, auditor; Mrs. Harry J. Slater, member Nominating Committee, and Mrs. Charles Wiley, member State Credentials Committee.

Resolutions regarding control of liquor traffic in the State, for abolition of child labor, for re-establishing the State poll tax, for the extension of woman's suffrage and for establishing a government works for making navy armor plate, were received, and will be acted on today.

The convention meeting in the Hollywood Woman's Club House, was addressed by Thomas P. White, presiding judge of the Police Court. His subject was "Human Justice," and in his talk he explained that justice was the least rigid in its rules of all superior power, a different form of justice being most applicable to every person. He protested against the system of making one judgment applicable to all cases, saying that in nothing did the human element enter so sprongly as in the delivery of justice.

LECTURE ON IBSEN.

"The Master Builder," by Ibsen, will be the subject of a talk by Bertha Kunz Baker at Cumnock Hall this evening. Last Friday evening Mrs. Baker asked her audience to vote on which modern poet should be taken up at the concluding lecture of her series, and Ibsen was practically the unanimous decision.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for H. L. Burleson, W. D. Connor, Alex Gibson, Mrs. L. D. Fountain, J. D. Mason, Mrs. George Monroe, Miss Louise Munsie, Joseph Rosenberg, Harry Simpers, John Woodland (2;) at the Postal: W. S. Jamieson, Robert W. Nathan, Alfred Bosworth, James M. Cholwell, Jr., Julian Armstrong, R. F. Haegelin and L. A. Davis.

MUSICAL

Graceful Work.

VOICE OF SWEETNESS.

FLORANCE HINKLE IS ARTIST OF RARE DELICATE EFFECTS.

By Edwin F. Schallert.

When a certain famous composer—my recollection is that it was Rossini, made his famous statement about voice, and then more voice, being the essential thing in singing, he must have had in mind among other qualities that of sweetness raised to a supreme degree of perfection. I know that Rossini with his penchant for tuneful melodies would have gloried in a sweet-voiced singer to a greater degree probably than any other composer.

In her possession of this quality, I believe that Florence Hinkle, who was heard last night at Trinity, would have furnished no end of delight to the joyous old master of the Italian school, for she has it in rich store, and lends to it great grace by the pleasingness of her personality. However, she brings more than simple sweetness of tone to her audience. She brings a crystalline purity of art in the use of her voice, and a subjective comprehension of certain moods that lends a soft, warm, penetrating light to the effects she secures. Her pianissimo work is deftly compelling in its varying gradations of dynamic intensity, and her high notes touch upon that strange province of the violin harmonic in their shaftlike brilliant certainty amid seeming uncertainty.

There are suggestions of varied influences in her work, for Florence Hinkle is an American soprano, who has received all her training in this country. It must not be imagined from the particular attention given to her voice in the foregoing that she devoted her programme to the bel canto school. Far from it. After the first group, with its Handel, Monsigny and Purcell airs, we were in the province of German lieder. Nothing on her programme perhaps suited so well the general character of her voice as "Du bist die Ruh." It has those demands for rare lightness of touch and the molto calmo of mood to which she so perfectly adapts herself. "Roeselein, Roeselein," of Schumann, that followed, was a thing of beautous clarity. She caressed the dreamlike tones of Liszt's "O komm im Trauem" with gentle softness. In the more brilliantly fiery measures of the Brahms "O liebliche Wangen," her touch was not quite so secure. In the French atmosphere she is very much at home, as to the Debuzzy-Leroux-like "L'Oasis," of Fourdrain, the Serenata Francese, by Leoncavallo, "Jardin d'Armour," Villermoz amply evidenced. She spanned the tonal gaps in the "Depuis le Jour," by "Louise" with surety; her interpretation was more within the lyrical than the dramatic province, the wisdom of which may not perhaps be gainsaid in the recital hall.

Personally, I should like to hear her sing more songs like "Life and Death," by Coleridge-Taylor, the last number on her programme, for she showed a degree of interpretative breadth and power in this number not at all times suspected. "I Know My Love" caught the fancy of the audience, with its whimsy. It is difficult because it permits of no stumbling, and its motion is perpetual. Throughout this American group, even down to the forbidding "Bird of the Wilderness" encore by Horsemann, Miss Hinkle showed herself to be finely attune to the possibilities of English and American song, leaving, perhaps, a desire to hear her in an entire programme of this type.

The audience was a little larger than the typical one of Tuesday evening recitals, and thoroughly receptive and appreciative.

Symphony Today.

The fifth pair of concerts in the Los Angeles Symphony series for this season will be given this afternoon and tomorrow evening at Trinity Auditorium, with Adolf Tandler directing. The programme will feature Berlioz's symphony, "Harold in Italy," with viola solo role played by Rudolph Kopp. It will open with the MacDowell Second Indian Suite, in five movements. The Tannhauesser overture will close one of the most interesting programmes in the series.

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Silk gloves for summer use. The variety and beauty in styles surpass those of any previous season. Fancy gauntlets in contrasting colors, heavy stitching in striking or harmonious shades and even stripes and frills are among the novelties, while the tones of tan and brown are as numerous as in gloves of kid.

Practical Suggestion.

The white of an egg will clean gilt frames without injury. It is said to also clean oil paintings without harming the colors.

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New Beach Hats.

Hat trimming has become flatter and flatter—and more and more flattering to the fair face beneath, and the latest novelty tests the taste in flowers as well as, perhaps, the skill in painting them. A broad brimmed straw of finest weave and smoothest surface is used, and upon brim both above and below and possibly extending upon the crown, is one's favorite flower, done in hand painting. These are found just now at that high-class store out Seventh street; but if the girl is one of the handy handed one, she may paint her beach hat herself. If she be not a true artist, however, better buy the hat all ready decorated, as nothing can be poorer than amateurish painting, even upon a beach hat. In fact, there above all, where the work is the only trimming, must it be good work. A pretty face smiling out from underneath a mass of lovely painted roses, is bound to be alluring.

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Stencilled Gowns.

Along the same line are the gowns of crepe de chine in delicate tints, trimmed all along the hems with hand stencilled designs. An especially pretty one of French blue was stencilled in pink of just the shade to combine with that dainty blue—the true Parisian pink-and-blue combination—and bound at the edges of collar, sleeves, flaring skirt and overskirt with satin bands in pink. Demurely girlish and yet womanly, was this delightful frock.

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Black Glass.

It is here! That much read about new black glass. It comes in shapes for ornamental table use, such as in mayonnaise dishes with plate and ladle, in vases and bowls and even in big punch bowls with cups to match. It is odd and pretty and especially wantable to combine with the black and white effects still so much in vogue.

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Royal!

Glorious in color—royal in fact—for royal purple is queen among colors for the present season—is one of the newest coats for sports wear, seen in that high-class sports goods house seven paces off Broadway. Of finest weave in one of the popular new fabrics which the sports craze has brought into being, this coat has every chic fad and line of the best of the season's modes. Each day something new and interesting arrives for the women's sports clothes department recently installed in this popular establishment.

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Frills.

Some of the new petticoats are replete with every sort of ruffle and frill—a veritable froth of lace, silk and prettiness falling around the high-topped boots of milady who is correctly clad. Skirts there are which fit just right around the hips, without a stitch of alteration, the size being regulated by means of an adjustment cord which remains in place, until more averdupois is taken on—or off!

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"See That Hump?"

Once this expression referred to a certain make of hook and eye, but now it means the whereabouts of the new hoops. "Farthingale" was the name of those odd distenders in the days of grandmamma, when they were in mode before. Come to be used to them—they are not so bad, think you? I am beginning to rather like them.

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"Assortment" Hose.

The term "assortment" applies well to the summer's supply of stockings. If these has ever been a time when variety was so rife as now in the hosiery line I do not remember it. From every color and shade, to every combination of colors and every width of stripe, and stripes going in every direction, to all sorts of clocking and embroidery, is milady's collection of stockings composed. And by the way, those are excellent values in that sale which inaugurates a price below a dollar for really excellent silk ones.

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"Complexion Pink."

This charming new pink, or newly revived, at least, has betaken itself to blouses and some which have broad collars and cuffs of sheerest white organdy, through which the rosy tint shows quite plainly, yet veiled as the blush of a bride, are most piquant.

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Crocheted.

One way of making over your last season's broad-brimmed hat into a masquerader of this season's mode is by crocheting a cover for the crown. Use any color of wool you like, crochet in a wide, rather loose mesh, and tie it down where the brim is joined, using for this anchoring a cord of the wool, terminated with either worsted balls or tassels.

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Ostrich Sprouts.

Tips so tiny as to seem the merest sprouts of feathers are used on some of the smartest hats of the season, the real art in their use lying in the unexpectedness of the location of the baby tips. Sprouting up all around the crown and reaching scarcely even above the fencing of the low top of the hat, like wee chicks striving to peep from out a pen, or perched jauntily on the high crown, or facing the underbrim, these charming adornments are irresistible in their charm.

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Not too Sporty.

I was delighted with a conversation which I overheard yesterday. It was on the second floor of that reliable house which has beside the elevator a case containing a handsome assortment of sweaters in gay and lovely shades. Two white-haired and well elderly ladies stood before the and commented upon the brilliant tints. It seemed to me strange that they should even be interested in looking at such things, and imagine my surprise one remarked: "I have one like yellow one, except that mine has pockets and a broader belt, and Jane has one exactly like that colored one." "I think I'll one," was the reply from her sion. I went on my way that the dress millinerine which long advocated was well have always said that youthful should wear black, the elderly ought to selves with brilliant colors.

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The Modes Mass.

Newest of all combs is the comb, fan-shaped, that is new high form of hair

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There is no doubt about of millinery. Some hats are simple, being trimmed brim, while equally severe trimmed only on the top of the

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BY HARRY CARR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 21.—I arrived here in time to see Jess Willard, our fellow-townsman do his last practicing preliminary to beating up Mister Moran. Jess looks like a fractious old elephant. He has a fat tummy, but he seems to be in condition. I haven't seen Mr. Moran. I don't want to. It isn't a good plan to know the victim about to be executed. It makes the execution altogether too harrowing.

WHY SEE MORAN?

After having seen Willard, it doesn't seem necessary to see Moran. Nothing less than a rotary snow plow could hurt such a mountain as Willard. He is literally tremendous, Jack The Giant Killer would have resigned his commission and David would have turned in his famous sling and interned himself in the first neutral port rather than have tackled a giant like Willard.

VERY CHEERING.

When I got in from Washington this morning everyone cheered me up by telling me that I didn't have a chance for a ticket; that over 500 newspaper applications had been turned down. When I dashed breathlessly over to Madison Square Garden and asked meekly for the boss of the show, a fresh elevator boy said: "If you want to see the manager, feller, you just go around to the other side of the building and get on the end of the line and when you get to the box office window you can ask for the manager."

HARSH TREATMENT.

It's something awful the way they treat the young and innocent in this cruel city. Had I taken his advice I would have had a fine chance to have a cracked head, for a young riot presently broke out in the line.

It seems that the $3 and $5 seats were put on sale this morning and several thousand men and boys made a dash for them. The line extended half way round the block when the box office window closed with a bang and it was announced that the tickets were sold out. The word ran down the line like an Indian uprising. They all began yelling that the managers were crooks and grafters and they all refused to leave the line. They seemed to think they were going to wreak a terrible revenge on somebody by standing on the sidewalk in the slush.

BY ARMLOADS.

Finally a police sergeant came along. He looked down the line and remarked briefly: "Aw, throw 'em out." In about a minute the landscape was profuse with citizens of the East Side catapulting "out." The police tossed them out in bundles and armloads. The revolution was over.

In the afternoon we went out to the Amsterdam Theater to see Jess train for the last time before the fight.

The stage was set with very romantic scenery. The background for the fighting ring was an old castle alongside a grand opera lake. With mortification I was obliged to admit that the spiritual significance was lost on me. I know that a castle by a lake has some spiritual harmony with the idea of Mr. Willard's punching in the map of Mr. Moran, but I couldn't seem to get it.

GOBS OF MONEY.

Probably the millionaires got it. Tom Jones, the manager of Jess, met me at the door and told me in a hoarse whisper that the place was full of millionaires. He said one of the boxes was specially reserved for them. I don't see how they know which ones to box, but I 'spose everyone who shows a million dollars at the door passes into the box.

I didn't happen to have much change with me, so we sat on the stage with the actors. Tom said that the contents of the box included Foxhall Keene, a miscellaneous collection of Vanderbilts and what not. He said that on the night of the fight they will all wear evening dress. Ah, how wonderful it must be to be a millionaire and wear evening dress at prize fights.

ALMOST GRACEFUL.

After considerable pause Jess came out in a bath robe of green, under which flashed red tights. There were several acres of each. When he leaped over the ropes I ducked in preparation for the crash when he lit, but he came down as lightly as a dancing girl.

Nevertheless, when he peeled off the bath robe and stood revealed in red like a skinned elephant, Jess did not look like an athlete. He had arms like the masts of a ship; he hulked up like a giant. But he looked a big policeman, and he undeniably had a stomach.

SHADOW BOXING.

After working with the pulleys he did a little shadow boxing. From the shadow boxing it was plain what he thinks the fight will be like. He chased his imaginary foe all over the ring from corner to corner. After that he boxed with Boer Roedel and Monahan. Willard shows great improvement. He blocks and counters brilliantly. It seemed to me, however, that the accounts of his footwork have been exaggerated.

ABOUT RIGHT.

Next to me sat a young Scotchman with a street car badge. He watched Willard for a while. Then he cautiously whispered, "He is a big mon."

After a little he added, "He is a vera beeg mon."

At last he leaned over and announced with an air of conviction, "He is a tremenjous mon."

Mrs. L. M. Kennett,

Who has played her way into the semi-finals of the Southern California women's golf tournament. She meets Mrs. Paul J. Pitner of Annandale today.

Semi-finals.

WOMAN'S GOLF IS ALMOST SETTLED

Mrs. Kennett Wins in a Hard-fought Battle.

Brentwood Country Club to Stage Opening.

New Administration Chosen at Annandale.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

The semi-finalists for the women's Southern California golf championship are Mrs. Luther Kennett of the Coronado Country Club and Mrs. Paul J. Pitner of the Annandale Country Club; Mrs. J. V. Elliot and Mrs. Frank Carpenter, both of the Midwick Country Club.

Second round matches were played during the showers on the Midwick course yesterday. Mrs. Kennett played and defeated her young sister, Miss Mildred Smith in a hard fought match, by 1 up. Mrs. Paul J. Pitner, notwithstanding she is an ex-champion for this title, sprung a surprise by defeating Mrs. Ouq Cochran by no less than 6 up and 5. Mrs. J. V. Eliot, another ex-champion, defeated Miss Elisabeth Sherk 3 up and 2. And Mrs. Frank Carpenter defeated Miss Mildred Landreth 3 and 2.

BEATEN EIGHT.

In the beaten eight of the championship flight, Mrs. F. C. Green of San Gabriel defeated Mrs. R. G. Field of San Francisco, 6 up and 5. Mrs. P. H. Guthrie very nearly enjoyed the distinction of defeating Mrs. Henry Van Dyke, for she only lost her match at the 19th hole. Mrs. H. D. Reeves actually did beat her ex-champions, winning from Mrs. E. R. Williams 1 up. Miss Gage of Toronto, Can., defeated Mrs. Frank Griffith, 2 and 1.

Today's matches in this flight are between Mrs. Green and Mrs. Van Dyke, Mrs. Reeves and Miss Gage.

SECOND FLIGHT.

In the second flight Mrs. C. A. Perley of San Gabriel won from Mrs. Hartman of Minnesota 3 and 2. Miss Phila Miller of Midwick won from Miss Marjory Maddox of San Gabriel 5 and 4. Miss K. Wilson defeated Mrs. McLaughlin 3 and 2. Miss Clara Watson defeated Mrs. Fred Griffith 1 up.

Today's matches in this flight are between Mrs. Perley and Miss Miller, Miss Wilson and Miss Watson.

Mrs. Luther Kennett won the driving contest yesterday morning with 665 yards for three drives. She also won the match play against bogey with 3 down.

Mrs. R. G. Field won the approaching and putting competition with a score of seven for three approaches.

Besides the semi-final matches there will be a consolation handicap today, handicap medal play, for which all those players who have not won anything else are eligible. The beaten semi-finalists will be allowed to turn in their score for this event.

Besides the finals in the women's championship at Midwick there will be four team matches this week-end, and the opening of the Brentwood Country Club.

On Saturday the San Gabriel team goes to Redlands to be gracefully licked. The Los Angeles team goes to Point Loma to conquer new territory. The Virginia team goes to Midwick to give the star team a narrow shave. And on Sunday the San Gabriel team is due at Victoria, Riverside, to explain why they got licked at Redlands.

The following week-end March 31-April 2 is the Victoria Golf Club's invitation tournament at Riverside. The Los Angeles, Virginia and Midwick teams all have matches at Redlands on Friday, and at Victoria on Sunday, so that a large attendance of visitors is assured anyway.

AT ANNANDALE.

The Annandale Country Club has just passed through the throes of an election and an entirely new administration is in power. Arthr H. Braly has been elected president, the three vice-presidents are E. H. Lockwood, Dr. West Hughes and Fred R. Harris. James Sheldon Riley is the new secretary and F. B. Loomis the the new treasurer.

It is not a war ministry, for while the new administration will pursue a policy of preparedness, it will be for purely defensive purposes. Under its pacifist guidance peace and prosperity are expected to reign, and there is no immediate lowering of the tariff contemplated.

They have reached the semi-finals for the president's cup, in which H. B. Ingalls is to play George V. Baer and H. Jayne is to play A. C. Volk.

In the J. B. Bryan cup contest, another round of matches have been settled. C. S. Byington defeated C. Nemeyer 1 up in 21 holes. Ben Leslie begins to play up to his appearance and defeated W. C. Smith 2 and 1. Paul F. Deis defeated E. R. Campbell 1 up. Dr. W. V. Brem beat Victor Klinberger 4 and 2. H. B. Ingalls defeated Arthur Braly 1 up. Don Dawson beat W. W. Thompson 2 and 1. W. B. Cameron beat E. E. Thompson 1 up and J. H. Warner beat O. B. Carter, 3 and 1.

Terrible Weather.

REDLANDS POLO GETS POOR START.

DRURY PUTS UP WONDERFUL GAME FOR THE WHITES.

Wind Plays Pranks with Goal Posts and Ball but Speedy Battle is Staged Just the Same—Frank Hudson is too Good and the Reds Take the Pastime.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

REDLANDS, March 23.—As luck would have it, the first game of polo in Redlands for six years was played in a driving gale, mixed with dashes of rain and hail. The wind played all sorts of pranks with the goal posts and the ball, but it was a fast game with some hard riding on both sides. The Red team, captained by Frank Hudson, won the game from the White team, captained by Hugh Drury, by a score of 14½ to 6.

DRURY SHINES.

Drury played a great game for his team; he outguessed the Red men time and rode like a centaur, but the smashing drives and swift rushes of Frank Hudson were too much for the White team. The Reds scored in every chuck-Rur with the exception of one. Hudson made 7½ points for his team, making eight goals, but losing half a point by a foul.

J. Putnam, who played in Canada, is spending the winter here, and he was the referee. The field was not in the best of condition, having been made soft by the rains and at times it was hard to lift the ball out of the holes made by the ponies.

ONLY SIX.

It was announced that six periods would be played, but at the last moment it was decided to play seven. L. V. W. Brown was thrown from his horse near the goal post once but was not hurt. The scoring was as follows, the number after each name being points made: Red—No. 1, Alvin Untermeyer, 4; No. 2, Harry Pattee, 3; No. 3, Hilliard Lett, No. 4, Frank Hudson, 7½.

White—No. 1, A. L. Holden, 2; Oswald Pedley; No. 2, A. C. Burrage; No. 3, Hugh Drury, 3; No. 4, L. V. W. Brown, 1.

Score by chukkurs:

Team—	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Penalty.	Total.
Red	3	1	1	0	1	2	1	½	14½
White	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	6

SUNBEAM SETS A NEW RECORD.

Hughie Hughes on the twelve-cylinder English Sunbeam turned the Corona course yesterday afternoon in 1 minute, 34 seconds. This is an average of 106 miles per hour.

Hughes went out to Corona to look over the course Wednesday and secured a special permit for a speed trial, on Thursday. With George W. Adams, owner of the car and riding mechanic, Hughes came back into the city and returned yesterday with the Sunbeam.

The first lap was turned at the rate of 102 miles per hour. Another was made at approximately the same speed and the fastest lap was made on the third trial when R. I. Biggy of the Master Carburetor Company was riding as mechanic. On the back stretch the car reached a speed of 115 miles per hour and when the gears are changed, it is claimed that the Sunbeam will turn the circle at that speed or better.

The car was left at Corona and Hughes is to go out there the first of next week to remain until after the Corona Grand Prize, April 8. The new gears are to be in by next Tuesday or Wednesday and at that time, another speed trial is to be permitted by the city trustees.

JUNIOR COLLEGES TO PERFORM IN MEET.

Junior college students of Southern California are all excited over the junior college track meet, which will take place at Fullerton tomorrow afternoon. Teams will be entered from Hollywood, Los Angeles, Fullerton and Santa Ana junior colleges.

The local wonders will depart for the scene of conflict at noon today. They will be led by Capt. Sampson Siebert and Coach Ralph Noble. Capt. Siebert is counting on winning the high jump, pole vault and a few other events and believes his men will bring home the bacon.

Those who will compose the squad of the Hilltop Highbrows are Sharpe, Johns, Johnston, Powell, Kinney, Martin, Smith, O'Connell, Barlow, Varnum, Elsie, Olerich, Burrall and Siebert. Johns is counted as a sure first in the weight events and the low hurdles while Wallie Johnston has been showing classy form in the sprints.

Poor Day for Ducks.

TIME HANGS HEAVY ON ANGEL PLAYERS' HANDS.

Wind, Rain and Hail are Features of the Day and Stay on the Job for a Full Eight Hours—Storm Reported to be Holding up Shipping on Lake Elsinore—Ducks Seek Milder Climate but Seraphs Can't.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

ELSINORE, March 23.—This day wasn't even good for ducks. Realizing this, the ducks beat it in search of a milder climate. The ball team wanted to do the same thing, but was mired down and had to stick. In fact, it was the worst day in the past two weeks' history of Elsinore.

The older inhabitants explained that it was equinoctial storm. In order to find out what an equinoctial storm might consist of George Washington Zabel, the famous chemist, was asked to analyze it. He did so, and found that it contained wind, rain and hail.

OH! VERY FAST.

The wind blew with great velocity across the lake and through the whiskers of the leading citizens. In fact, the gale was such that it threatened at time to blow the lake upside down. Something is always happening to call attention to this lake. Once it threatened to dry up and disappear, leaving nothing but a hole in the ground, while this year it swelled up and slopped clear out of bounds. Whether to leave the lake as it is or try and fix it is a question now agitating the community.

Those whose private residences and personal belongings are under water favor digging a ditch so as to allow the surplus water to spill out. Only in this way can they recover their property inside of two years, as evaporation is a slow process. They figure that two years from now all the varnish will be washed off the parlor furniture and the wallpaper stained. Those whose homes are on the hills, with no water in the dining-room and kitchen, do not think that the lake should be monkeyed with because, to do so would cost money. They favor letting nature take its course.

SAVE THE RUG.

But out of the water and back into the weather. The wind threatened, among other things, to blow the carpet off the hotel floor, but the athletes prevented this by standing on it. Then there was the rain, which resulted in both the forenoon and afternoon practice being stormbound. The Peerless Leader got up and peered out into the weather early this morning. This convinced him that the ball grounds would be waterlogged and he called off all activities for the day except eating, sleeping and chewing the rag. The Pomona College team, which was scheduled to play here today, did not arrive. No tidings have been received from the team, and it is presumed that it got blowed away on the way down. Unless some trace is found of the team the game will be permanently called off.

PITIFUL.

The day was saddened by a peculiar accident to a farmer with whiskers living near here. This farmer, it seems, has mice in his whiskers. First it rained on his whiskers and then the bitter cold wind and hail caused the whiskers to freeze up. It was impossible to rescue the mice until the sun came out and thawed the whiskers. Then it was that the mice were found to be dead.

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TROJAN TEAMS GO NORTH.

The track and baseball varsities of U.S.C. sailed north yesterday on the President for San Francisco. The track team under Dean Cromwell is to meet the California freshmen Saturday afternoon and with the assistance of several L.A.A.C. athletes the California varsity on Wednesday afternoon.

The baseball team, under "Pat" Millikan has a more strenuous week ahead. The Barristers will play the California freshmen and varsity, the Stanford varsity and possibly Santa Clara. Tracy will be on the mound against the California freshmen and Capt. Cad Counts against the varsity.

PREXY BAUM COMES SOUTH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—President Baum of the Coast League left tonight for Los Angeles to make preliminary arrangements for the opening of the season. He will visit the training camps of the Angels and Tigers and discuss baseball in general.

High School Pill Tossers All "Het Up" Over Ruling.

Rough Voyage.

PREP BASEBALL SEASON STARTS.

Big Argument is Racking Sides of Good Ship.

Poly Coach has Hard Time Picking Team.

Sunday Baseball Rule Creates Excitement.

Unless the terrific argument which is racking the planks of the good prep school baseball ship causes a wreck, the local season will start out in full swing this afternoon. Trouble is in the air, however, and there is no telling what may happen from day to day. If things settle down there will be three battles waged to a finish, L. A. High vs. Lincoln at Downey playground, Manual vs. San Pedro at San Pedro, and Hollywood and Polytechnic at Hollywood.

All the excitement and argument has been caused by the Sunday baseball rule. It seems that someone stated that all ball players who indulged in Sunday baseball would be barred from participation on prep school teams. This caused untold wailing and gnashing of teeth among the local coaches and they immediately undertook to remedy matters.

A MYSTERY.

But just what they did is a mystery. Some authorities assert that men who have played Sunday ball since March 10 would be kicked out. Others claim that every player who ever sat in on a Sunday game would be booted. Still others argue that no one will be kicked from the teams at all.

At any rate the good ship "Prep Baseball" is having a hard time and is staggering along against a heavy wind and a rough sea.

NOT SELECTED.

The [illegible] team will not be picked by Coach Haslett until the squad takes the field this afternoon. He is taking twenty-four men to Hollywood with him. At a late hour last night the Poly coach was still trying to select the men who were to start the game. Finally at 12 o'clock he took a hot bath, a drink of hot lemonade, put a hot water bag at his feet, set the alarm for 5 o'clock and went to bed. The coach expressed the hope at midnight the fever caused by his ceaseless and conscientious efforts to select a team would have abated enough so that he would be able to start afresh on his task for a Solomon this morning.

Haslett was certain of one thing last night. His pitcher will be one of four, Sousa, Pardee, Calley or White will be on the mound for Poly. The catcher will be either Sims or Tellez.

FORD SLUGGERS TO TACKLE RAILWAY.

The L. A. Railway baseball team will play the Ford aggregation of players Sunday afternoon. The two teams met once before, when the Ford team won. The railway men believe they will be able to turn the tables in this return game.

The motormen and conductors have only been defeated by Fords and Desmonds in twenty-six games. They claim this is some record. At one time the name L. A. Railway was mentioned prominently for the amateur championship of Southern California. That was before the Desmond game.

CHEEK SIGNED TO PLAY AT HAYDEN.

Harry Cheek, former Sacramento catcher, has been lined up by Spot McMurdo for the Hayden (Ariz.) team. This catcher should make good with the miners, having had experience in the Coast and Northwestern leagues. McMurdo has his eye on several other baseball stars and hopes to take home a nifty bunch.

BEES PEEVED AT TRAINING.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Another season and the Salt Lakers are going to protest vigorously against so short a training season as three weeks. If the time can't be moved back a week or so, Salt Lake will ask for special privileges, on the ground that it is necessary to take the team home a week in advance to accustom the men to the high altitude and ground conditions.

It is hinted, even if not openly charged, that certain of the Coast League clubs have been "cheating" in the matter of giving the ball players an early start; that this is not possible so far as Salt Lake is concerned and something should be done to even up.

"Weather conditions are such," argued Trainer O'Connor, "that the ball players could do no voluntary training in Salt Lake, as was the case with the San Francisco, Oakland, Vernon and Los Angeles clubs. More than that, it is necessary to take the men home a few days in advance of the opening. That lets us down with not more than two weeks, whereas the other clubs virtually have a month, if not longer."

There is some ground to what he claims, say local baseball men. Members of the two southern clubs were on the diamond for three weeks before the call to arms, while the Seals were out for a week ahead, and some of the boys longer. Portland and Salt Lake can't get in on these early workouts, it is declared.

Stanford heroes.

The lone figure is that of "Skin" Wilson, celebrated miler, while the two young men clambering over the high sticks are Fred Murray (left) and Norton.

The Track Heroes.

GREAT CARDINAL TEAM TO ARRIVE HERE TODAY.

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

THE Stanford track varsity will arrive in this city this morning for its meet with the L. A. A. C. at Bovard Field tomorrow afternoon. Then the track fans of the south will have the first opportunity in three years of seeing a Stanford team in action. Since the break with U. S. C. in 1913 the Cardinals have religiously shied clear of Southern California.

SOME TEAM.

The Stanford varsity of this year, while not as strong as that of last year, is supposed to be the best track team on the Pacific Coast. Its captain is Peg Murray, one of the most remarkable athletes that the cinders have produced.

To meet this strong team, Bob Weaver, the papa of athletics in this section, has called in all available athletes from the four corners of the south. He has even gone so far as to muster into service the U. S. C. ineligible squad. The concensus of opinion is that Weaver has not called either long or loud enough. It is generally admitted that the L. A. A. C. is to be defeated.

REAL RIVALS.

This takes nothing away from the importance of the meet. It still is to be the most important dual meet of the season, because it brings together two world-famous rivals, and the best men in their class on the Coast in other events.

The Kelly-Murray duel, of course, is the big, vital affair. These two world-famous athletes will meet in three and perhaps in five events. The two events that everybody is excited over are the high and low hurdles.

By virtue of his victory over Kelly at the exposition Murray is the A. A. U. champion of the United States. By virtue of his four years of almost solid victories and the Olympic games Fred Kelly is still held to be the kingpin of high hurdlers.

More than a victory by Murray tomorrow will be required to oust him from that position. The Stanford man will have to set a new world's record before he can dethrone Kelly. The public has seen Kelly when he was right, and will be inclined to think that he is out of condition or something if he is defeated.

THE OTHER WAY.

In the low hurdles the tables will be just turned around. Murray is supposed to be the best low hurdler in the United States. If Kelly wins the crowd will say that the acute curve on the U. S. C. track threw Murray out of gear. The Stanford man is accustomed to run the low hurdles on a straightaway.

The half-mile will bring together the narrowest and best half-milers in the State. These gentlemen are R. Mortimer Bonnett, holder of the Pacific Coast record for the distance; Skin Wilson, holder of the Pacific Coast intercollegiate record in the mile; and Clarence Beebe, the best half-miler that Southern California has produced. Skin Wilson is running for Stanford, the other two for the club.

A GREAT DUEL.

The race between Skin Wilson and Mort Bonnett will be watched closely. Bonnett for four years won the half mile from California at Stanford. The last three of those years Skin Wilson won the mile and nothing would more delight his skinny soul than to get Bonnett's skinny goat in this event.

The 440 brings together Ed Beal and Tuffy Conn. The last named, while a mere prep, defeated Beal for the A. A. U. championship of Southern California in the quarter-mile. This has rankled in Beal's soul ever since. He has come fully prepared to defeat Conn this time, bringing with him Dievendorf and Lynn to turn the trick.

Among the latest recruits enlisted in the cause by Bob Weaver is one S. H. Thomson. He is none other than the brother of Fred Thomson, famous Occidental all-around champion of the United States. S. H. Thomson at the time Fred was performing was said to look very much like a coming all-around champ. His work will be followed with interest, especially by the famous brother who is now a sky pilot in Nevada.

One mile—Stanford, P. R. Wilson, H. V. Aupperle, L. Chapman; L. A. A. C., Joseph R. Kiefer, A. Pottash.

100-yard dash—Stanford, R. Grant, F. S. Murray, C. Johnson; L. A. A. C., Ken Johnson, E. Fover, I. Courtney; Occidental, Geo. A. Cain.

120-yard hurdles—Stanford, F. S. Murray, J. Norton; L. A. A. C., Fred Kelly, Harry Kirkpatrick, S. H. Thomson.

440 yards—Stanford, H. H. Dievendorf, Ed Beal, W. Lynn; L. A. A. C., A. Gaien, George Conn, R. Anderson, M. Edris, G. Dillsbaugh.

Two miles—Stanford, P. R. Wilson, L. L. Chapman; L. A. A. C., R. Fisher, R. Murray, Joseph R. Kiefer.

220-yard dash—Stanford, R. Grant, C. Johnson, F. S. Murray; L. A. A. C., Ken Johnson, E. Fover, A. Gaien, R. Neely, A. J. Cover.

220-yard low hurdles—Stanford, F. S. Murray, T. Norton; L. A. A. C., J. Creighton, Harry Kirkpatrick, Fred Kelly, S. H. Thomson.

880 yards—Stanford, H. V. Aupperle, P. R. Wilson, C. R. Wolf; L. A. A. C., Schnell; L. A. A. C., R. M. Bonnett, Jr., C. Anderson, C. Beebe.

One mile (4 men)—Stanford, W. F. Lynn, C. Gould, E. A. Schnell, H. H. Dievendorf, R. R. Grant, R. R. Hall, F. S. Murray; L. A. A. C., A. Gaien, Carlyle Conn, Anderson, R. M. Bonnett, Jr., M. Edris, G. Dillsbaugh, C. Beebe.

Pole vault—Stanford, F. Mercadier, A. Stebbins, R. E. Phillips; L. A. A. C., F. Speer, G. Bangs, E. R. Hilton, Fred Watkins, Charles Bergeron, R. Merriam, A. Cochman, G. Reiling.

High jump—Stanford, W. R. Wheeler, H. H. Lachmund; L. A. A. C., Paul Wilhelm, R. Merriam, S. R. Thomas, A. Cochman, C. Sant, R. Creighton, J. Creighton, W. Collins, Neil Patterson.

Shot put: Stanford, H. R. Gaugher, George Sihlman; L. A. A. C., Roy Bagnard, Fred Kelly, George A. Rhett, S. H. Thomson, Babe Doris.

Hammer throw, at 2 p.m.—Stanford, George Sihlman, H. R. Gaugher, J. A. Enderely; L. A. A. C., E. R. Sarles, Roy Bagnard, S. H. Thomson.

Discus throw—Stanford, J. A. Enderely, George Sihlman; L. A. A. C., Roy Bagnard, S. H. Thomson, M. Smith.

Javelin throw—Stanford, F. S. Murray, George Sihlman, J. A. Enderely; L. A. A. C., S. H. Thomson, M. Edris, R. Anderson, R. Smith, E. R. Hilton.

Broad jump—Stanford, W. R. Wheeler; L. A. A. C., J. Creighton, E. R. Hilton, Roy Bagnard, S. H. Thomson.

CHANCE SIGNS NEW PLAYERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ELSINORE, March 23 (By cable, wireless and Sherlock Holmes, from Staff Correspondent, somewhere at sea on Lake Elsinore.)—In spite of the unsettled conditions of the weather, Frank Chance today signed two notable ball players, to-wit: Newton, formerly of San Francisco, and Kelly of New York Giant fame.

Bill Lange, uncle of George Kelly, and old-time Chicago fielder, goes on record as saying that the new Angel player is O. K. in every sense of the word. Both men will report immediately and will try to land permanent berths with the Straph aggregation.

Exciting.

PURPLE POLOISTS SLAUGHTER BLUES.

WHITE TEAM WITHDRAWS FROM TOURNAMENT.

Wind Shows so Much Speed that Polo Ball is Blown Entirely Out of Field—Change is Made in Line-up of Teams—Blues, Purples and Greens to Fight for First Place.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, March 23.—In spite of a wind that blew at the rate of forty-seven miles an hour this afternoon, the Blue and the Purple polo teams played the first game of the Round Robin tournament on field No. 3 at Coronado. The Purple team won by a score of 7½ to 3¾, and did not permit the Blues, their opponents, to make a single goal. The Blues were given three goals by handicap, but in the fifth chukkur Reggie Weiss made a safety, which shaved their score down to 2¾. At times the wind was so strong on the field that the ball was blown out of its course, and the players were confused in their playing by the gale.

BACKS OUT.

Before starting the White team withdrew from the tournament, which leaves but the Blue, Purple and the Green to compete, and a slight change was made in the line-up of the teams. Today's line-up was:

Purple—H. B. Lewis, 1; L. B. Harrison, 1; H. Weiss, 3; Perry Beadleston, 6. Total rating, 11 goals.

Blue—G. M. Heckshar, 1; Reggie Weiss, 4; R. Neustadt, 3; E. Q. McVitty, 1. Total rating, 8 goals.

With Great Ease.

STECHER LICKS GREEK WONDER.

Demetral Goes Down in Two Straight Falls.

Body Scissors and Half Nelson are Responsible.

Big Offer Made for Stecher-Gotch Match.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BUTTE (Mont.) March 23.—Joe Stecher of Dodge, Neb., claimant of the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, tonight defeated William Demetral, the Greek champion, twice in straight falls.

EASY ENOUGH.

Stecher won the first fall and the second fall in four minutes, seven and one-half seconds with a body scissors and half Nelson.

It was a sensational match while it lasted. In the second bout Demetral did what no other wrestler has ever done, placed Stecher in imminent danger of a fall. The Greek dived, caught Stecher by the leg, with a crotch hold raised him high in air and slammed the champion to the mat with himself on top.

ALMOST GONE.

Stecher was forced to bridge to keep his shoulders clear. The crowd cheered and called for a fall but it was only brief. With a mighty twist Stecher was on top and from then to the end it was only a question of time before the Greek would have to succumb to the deadly scissors hold. Only this once was Demetral able to get behind Stecher. The Copper City Athletic Club of Butte announced a bid for $60,000 for the Gotch-Stecher match to be held in Butte in July, this bid being $5000 higher than previous, a $55,000 bid from a Chicago promoter being next.

HALL GAMBLING BILL MAY STOP RACING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ANNAPOLIS (Md.) March 23.—The Hall anti-gambling bill, which, if passed by both houses of the Legislature would close every mile race track in Maryland, was passed to its third reading in the House of Delegates today. This practically assures its final passage in that branch.

An amendment creating a State racing commission and imposing a license tax, was voted down. Amendments to the Hall bill have been adopted, however permitting county fair half-mile tracks to operate for short seasons.

Very Large-sized.

CITY TRACK MEET LOOKS LIKE THE REAL THING.

EVERY boy in Los Angeles who ever donned a pair of spikes will dream of the cinder path tonight. He will see himself speeding down the home stretch, ahead of the field, and cheered on by bleachers full of fair co-eds. Tomorrow morning he will roll his track apparel up in a little bundle and journey out to Y. M. C. A. field for the city high school championship meet.

First place in the meet is conceded to Manual Arts by about everyone concerned. But there are those who wish to differ with the dope sheet promulgated by Coach Otto Fritsch of the Toilers and handed out to the press last Tuesday.

EXCITED.

"Where does Otto get this stuff about Manual collaring 93 points?" asks one prominent coach who wishes his name to remain a mystery. "He seems to forget that there are any other schools entered besides Manual."

"But where did he put my man Hesson," queries Coach Lyons of L. A. High. "Hesson is good for a second at least in the high hurdles, and this Fritsch person has only given him a third." Hesson usually leaves a row of broken furniture behind him, but Lyons has been working him overtime on a recently invented practice hurdle.

And so we could wear out the typewriter recording similar complaints.

IT LOOKS AS IF ——

It looks as if the real fight of the meet will be between Poly and Hollywood for second place. At the present time these aggregations seem pretty evenly matched, with L. A. running a fairly close fourth.

The meet will be enlivened by numerous individual duels of intense bitterness. Mistah Fillow of L. A. High is again declared eligible, and has taken solemn oath that Warren "Kerrigan" Lamport will see his stern at the finish of the hundred. A tall young gent by the name of Jimmy Stringfellow, from Polytechnic, is after the scalp of Schoeppe of Manual in the mile. Ever since he came out of kilts Jimmy has been hearing of this wonderful Schoeppe, and his one ambition is to leave Fritsch's pet a lap or two behind.

FRIENDLY.

In the javelin throw Fritsch has given Heberlein of Manual precedence over Jimmy Smith of L. A. High. These two gents have been spitting blood at each other ever since the season opened. They were not able to leave each other alone until the meet, and the other night indulged in a private encounter. Smith outdistanced the mighty Heberlein by three feet and has been wearing a broad grin and new necktie ever since. Since "Doc" Skinner's Mechanical Wonders have not deigned to cast the javelin this year, it may not be included in the points, but be run off as an exhibition event.

Joe Isenberg of L. A. High bellowed aloud in anger, mortification and grief when he gave Fritsch's dope sheet the once over and found he had not been awarded a place in the shot put. Joe has been considering himself as about the best shot-putter in these parts and says Fritsch will have to answer for this incivility.

DELIGHTED.

Out at Lincoln High there is great rejoicing, since the dope sheet allowed the Railsplitters two whole points. These, Fritsch says, will be made by Grant Swann in the mile.

At least Fritsch has succeeded in getting everybody all "het up" concerning the meet. If he escapes from the field alive it is said the undertakers will all go bankrupt.

Manual may be severely handicapped by the loss of Ole (Doc) Cook in the mile and 880. It seems that Cook has been convicted of professionalism. Al G. Waddell caught him instructing damsels how to skate in one of the newly-created ice palaces and it certainly does look bad for the "doctor."

EVANS AND SAWYER TIE FIRST ROUND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

FRENCH LICK (Ind.) March 23.—Charles Evans and Ned Sawyer of Chicago tied for low score in the qualifying round of the tournament of the French Lick Golf Club today with cards of 77 each and will play off for the Cockrell cup.

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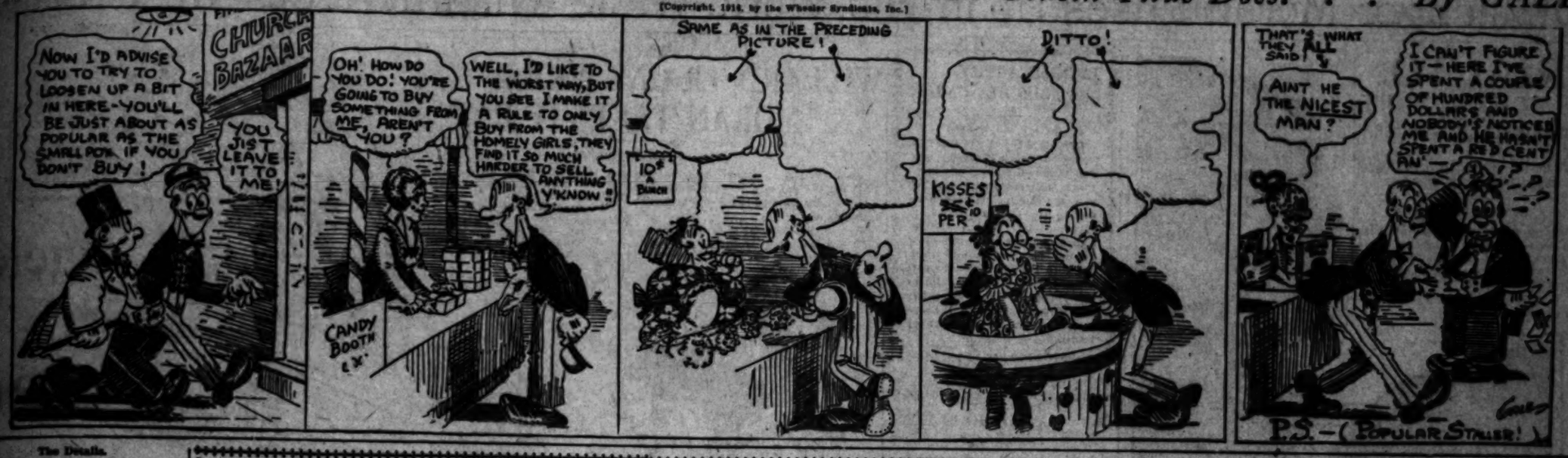

The Details.

SOME EXPENSE IN BASEBALL.

Club Owners Have Many Bills to Try to Pay.

Work Goes on All the Time Plus Salaries.

Training a Ball Team is no Small Item.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ELSINORE, March 23.—Opening a baseball season is a great sporting event, as all know. Incidentally, as it becomes great it is a large undertaking. In fact, enough money is invested in it to put it in the class of "industries."

When the doors of Washington Park are swung back on April 4 to admit the mad throng at two-bits a head, it will have cost the Los Angeles club $10,000 to oil the hinges, or so I speak. Mind you, this does not include purchase of new players or such like, but merely is the aggregate total of items incident to operating a ball park and grooming a team—overhead expenses, I believe is the technical expression for what I am groping. The heavier expenses, such as salaries, are yet to come.

NEVER ENDS.

Although it is not generally known, preparations for opening a season begin the day after the closing of another. Work is started on the grounds, and there is hardly a day during the winter that from one to a dozen men are not working on the infield or outfield. Then the park carpenter busies himself with an alteration here, and an improvement there, so that there is the aroma of fresh paint in the wooden part of the plant all the time. The club secretary's office never stops, summer or winter. Even baseball conditions, the secretary never slams down the top of his roll-top desk except for meals and sleep, and not very much of the latter.

MOBILIZATION.

With the approach of spring, comes the small item of mobilization. The athletes are scattered all over the country, and the only way to get them all in one place is for the club to furnish transportation and dining car meals.

Getting the men from Los Angeles to the training camp calls for more than change.

Rounding up a ball team in the spring is no small item. In fact, it is such a big proposition that it usually is done by contract. Food prices high these days, and most of the players go strong on the eats. A majority of them are accustomed to more than the restaurants afford. At least thirty or more strong young players three times a day for thirty days comes under the head of a large business transaction. Then, of course, there is the large and magnificent salary of Dr. Finley to be met, as well as that of his able assistant, C. C. Paulsen. Secretary Weber will put $900 down with him the other day, opining that it would be sufficient to settle the incidental expenses of the first week in camp. He made the unhappy discovery that this was about $200 short of the necessary amount.

QUITE A WAD.

And as said before, the worst is yet to come. Building a ball team and preparing it for the season is very similar to training and equipping an army, only on a smaller scale. The team like the army has its commissary department, its arsenal or clubhouse, its barracks or hotel, its hours for drill or training, its officers, or manager and captain and its "red cross" service.

When a ball team takes the field on opening day, it is an athletic masterpiece—the finely assembled and equipped product of an intricate system of organization and preparation, all of which costs money.

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Hari Maggert is so far from being the surly individual many of the fans opine that it is almost laughable. On the ball field Maggert does look somewhat like a tough guy with a grouch. One is likely to carry this impression of him until permitted to make his personal acquaintance. Personally Maggert is one of the finest chaps in baseball—affable, a good talker, able to appreciate a good joke, whether it is on him or the other fellow, and with a keen sense of the humorous side of situations. Maggert is a big factor in relieving the routine of training camp life, and each workout finds him bubbling with enthusiasm on the field. And to think that a lot of fans are under the impression that Mag has a grouch against the world in general. It is to smile, perhaps to laugh right out loud in meetin'.

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Oscar Horstman is a greatly-improved pitcher over last season, and but for the large amount of more experienced talent imported from the majors, would have a job cinched on the staff already so soon. Under present conditions, however, it is going to be difficult for any of the youngsters to get a foothold on the mound.

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Frank Chance and Ralph Works were last night discussing pitching and pitchers. After going over the list of famous ones they both agreed that Ed Walsh and Mordecai Brown were the two greatest relief men of all time. Works learned to admire Walsh when working against him in the Ed threw many a monkey wrench in American League. He says that big to the machinery of the Detroit club. "When we had loaded up the bases on some other pitcher Walsh would stalk into the center of the diamond and clear up the situation," said Ralph. "Ed didn't depend on his support in these times of pith and moment. He would simply fan the next few batters. And, as all know, the Detroit club always has been some slugging aggregation. By the way, Frank, did they pitch him much against you in the world series of 1906?"

"Did they?" laughed the P. L. "They pitched him until I got to dreaming about him. As though we didn't see enough of him in the daytime, he became a nightmare to us. Walsh, as a relief pitcher, was to the American League what Brown was to the National."

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Secretary Weber of the Angels has proposed an annual game between the Los Angeles and San Francisco baseball writers, the games to be staged alternately in the two cities. President Powers has volunteered to finance the Los Angeles scribes in the undertaking, while Henry Berry doubtless will consent to serve as financial godfather to the San Francisco newspaper nine. The only argument against the plan is that the fans, after seeing the teams in action, might be dissatisfied with the quality of ball played in the Coast League.

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Dr. W. R. Praether, owner of Adams Springs, Lake county, and Chowder House Jim of Los Angeles were visitors at the camp yesterday. On learning that Dr. Praether is a Democrat, Col. Woodford hastened into the hotel to extend the hand of fellowship and commiseration.

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Judge C. P. Carter of this place is a versatile man of public affairs. In addition to being City Clerk he is the reigning justice of the peace, and owns a productive goat farm in the north part of the city. He and Jim Gyger, the game warden, work in such perfect harmony that the person who kills wild animals out of season feels that he is being squeezed between the upper and nether millstones. They believe in upholding the majesty of the game laws at all times.

STATISTICAL ROSTER SALT LAKE CLUB FOR 1916.

Player and position—	Nickname.	Bats.	Throws.	Began playing at	Home town.	Married or single.	Last year with	Ag.	Weight.	Height.	Bat'g. 1915.	Fld'g. 1915.	S.B.
C. D. Blankenship (mgr.,) catcher	Blank	R.	R.	Columbus, Ga.	Salt Lake City	Married	Salt Lake	35	165	5.10½	.248	....	..
Harry Hannah, catcher	Truck	R.	R.	Butte	Seattle	Married	Salt Lake	25	195	6.1½	.276	.947	6
John Vann, catcher	Jack	R.	R.	Hartford, Ct.	Fairland, Okla.	Single	Terre Haute	24	190	6	.300	.980	8
Daniel J. Murray, catcher	Danny	R.	R.	Portland, Or.	San Francisco	Single	Utah Copper League	21	170	6	....	....	..
Henry Peterson, pitcher	Hans	R.	R.	Seattle	Port Blakely, Wash.	Single	Salt Lake	23	178	5.11	....	1.000	..
Emmett Munsell, pitcher	Judge	R.	R.	Dallas, Tex.	Salt Lake City	Married	San Antonio, Salt Lake	37	178	6	.273	.968	..
Paul Fittery, pitcher	Fit	L.-R.	L.	Shomiken, Pa.	Lebanon, Pa.	Single	Salt Lake	26	160	5.11½	.167	.967	..
Bert Hall, pitcher	Bert	R.	R.	Tacoma	Tacoma	Married	Salt Lake	27	176	5.10½	.229	.977	1
Jude Mersland, pitcher		R.	R.	Portland	Portland	Single	Independent	23	173	6.¼	....	....	..
Ovid Mullins, pitcher		R.	L.	Wichita Falls, Tex.	Denison, Tex.	Married	San Antonio	23	174	6	.241	.933	0
John Reisigl, pitcher	Bugs	R.	R.	New Haven, Ct.	San Francisco	Married	San Francisco	26	167	5.9	.161	.980	..
Sherman Jones, pitcher	Sherm	R.	R.	Salt Lake City	Salt Lake City	Single	Independent	21	161	6	....	....	..
Thomas Averill, pitcher	Tom	R.	R.	Price, Utah	Price, Utah	Single	Independent	21	184	6.1½	....	....	..
Jacob May, pitcher	Jake	L.	L.	Wendell, N. C.	Wendell, N. C.	Single	Macon	21	188	6.¼	.247	.941	10
Elmer Owen, pitcher	Lefty	L.	L.	Hughson, Cal.	Hughson, Cal.	Single	Independent	23	176	5.10½	....	....	..
Elmer Olsen, pitcher	Ole	L.	L.	Franklin, Idaho	Franklin, Idaho	Single	Independent	23	190	6.3½	....	....	..
Harry B. Koch, pitcher		R.	L.	Pittsburgh	Sacramento.	Single	Independent	22	195	6.1¾	....	....	..
Thomas Hughes, pitcher	Tom	R.	R.	Chicago	Chicago	Married	Los Angeles	37	175	6.2	.141	.880	0
George Shader, pitcher	Mickey	R.	R.	Petaluma	Petaluma	Married	Independent	24	152	5.11½	....	....	..
Bunny Brief, first base		R.	R.	Traverse City, Mich.	Traverse City, Mich.	Married	White Sox, Salt Lake	23	190	6	.333	.978	14
William Orr, shortstop	Bill	R.	R.	Monterey	San Francisco	Married	Salt Lake	24	175	6	.250	.938	28
Edward Hallinan, third base	Eddie	R.	R.	Stockton	San Francisco	Single	Salt Lake	25	170	5.9½	.277	.941	4
James Breton, third base	Jimmy	R.	R.	Rockford, Ill.	Chicago	Single	White Sox, Salt Lake	24	170	5.11½	.315	.930	3
R. C. Eldred, infield	Brick	R.	R.	Sacramento	Sacramento	Married	Independent	23	182	6.¼	....	....	..
Earl F. Thompson, infield	Tommy	R.	R.	Visalia	Los Angeles	Single	Independent	23	162	6.1	....	....	..
Frank Mohler, infield	Kid	L.	R.	Edmonton, Can.	Los Angeles	Single	Independent	21	135	5.8½	....	....	..
Herbert C. Murphy, infield	Herb	R.	R.	Greenwood, Miss.	Indianapolis	Married	Spokane	26	165	5.10	.275	.935	25
Thomas Quinlan, outfield	Tommy	L.	L.	Scranton, Pa.	Scranton, Pa.	Single	White Sox, Salt Lake	23	165	5.9	.304	.943	12
James Shinn, outfield	Jimmy	R.	R.	Portland	Stockton	Married	Salt Lake	29	150	5.8	.313	.949	47
John B. Ryan, outfield	Buddy	L.	R.	Grand Island, Neb.	Salt Lake City	Married	Salt Lake	30	170	5.9	.340	.985	21
John Nutt, outfield	Jack	L.	R.	Phoenix, Ariz.	Waverly, Kan.	Single	Phoenix, Salt Lake	22	175	6.11	....	....	..
Walter Reuther, outfield	Dutch	L.	L.	Vancouver	San Francisco	Single	Vancouver, Salt Lake	22	175	6.1	.310	1.000	0

Time Hangs Heavy.

(Continued from First Page.)

Mr. Polly McLarry is now passing his honeymoon here. Few of the boys knew that he was married until Mrs. Polly arrived from Los Angeles last night. Thus Mr. Polly was forced to give up the pet bull frogs which were wished on him by admiring friends the other night.

PERFECTLY O. K.

Polly, instead of being displeased, adopted them and they have been living happily ever since until last night. He had been keeping them in the silver trophy cup, which the team won in last Sunday's game. This cup is the property of Hari Maggert, but Maggert loaned it to him. It was placed on the bureau and filled with water so that the frogs could climb up on the rim and dive in. However, when Mrs. Polly arrived she forced Polly to forego the frogs and throw them out of the window into the lake.

Maggert had been waiting to give a banquet and serve punch in the bowl, but couldn't while the frogs occupied it. Now that they have moved out he will give the banquet.

TAKES A WHACK.

Dr. Finley yesterday got his first crack at Mayor Sebastian's neck. The doctor had been crouched to make the spring ever since the Mayor's arrival, but not until yesterday did he find the time opportune to leap upon him. Being ambushed in this manner with his guard down, the Mayor realized that the jig was up and submitted.

Not only did the rain again tie up the washing operations, but the wind blew down several clothes lines in the back yard of the Elsinore Hand Laundry. At this writing the outlook for a large attendance at church is extremely dark because nearly everybody's shirt is still in the wash. That is one of the things that is keeping me here. I had planned to return today. S.O.S., S.O.S.

HURRAH.

However, the wind was not without its benefits. It served to deaden the sound of Dad Munholland playing the violin. Dad is the 87-year-old multimillionaire who lives just across the street. Nobody knew he had a fiddle until he began playing it today in an effort to soothe the savage breast of the Peerless Leader. Fortunately the wind blew the sound in the other direction. However, great fears are entertained among the guests here that the gale may veer and blow the strains of the fiddle into the hotel.

The boys went down tonight and attended the show run by Tom Carmody, the moving-picture magnate. They witnessed a drammer in which the leading man gets his head cut off and returned to the hotel feeling much better.

HAUL ABOARD.

Fred Parks, the engineer, and Ed Dunbar, the brakeman, on the freight train which plies between this point and Temecula every day as a rule, came near getting a vacation yesterday. Jack Ryan and Hari Maggert, who used to railroad, offered to run the train for them, but Chance put his foot down on it. He doesn't intend to have any of his men joy riding on a freight train, especially when the rails are slippery. Nobody offered to relieve Lew Barrows, the conductor, so he could have a vacation. It is figured that a conductor on a freight train doesn't do enough work to need a vacation. The freight trains down this way do hardly any passenger business.

Bradley Hogg, the new pitcher, will not be here for several days. Because of this, it is felt that the noon train from Perris to this place might just as well be abolished for a few days. It has been running for a week now in the expectation of bringing Mr. Hogg to town. Hogg sent a telegram to Frank Chance yesterday, stating he had been derailed in Yuma, or word to that effect. This explains his mysterious disappearance. All the boys now envy Hogg, as they feel that it is warmer down in Yuma than here.

BUSINESSLIKE.

Xenaphon Bouris, one of our hustling bakers, has made an important improvement. He has fastened a cow bell on his bread wagon. Newcomers when they hear this think that the milk wagon is coming and go out to buy some. The driver then tells them that he has milk in his bread and in that way makes many important sales.

I passed a very pleasant afternoon in the Elsinore grave yard about a mile and a half north of town. Having lived on a ranch down in this section when a mere boy, I wanted to look up some old acquaintances. As there is no city directory here the next best thing was to go out and read the tombstones.

ST. LOUIS TEAM IS EASY WINNER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) March 23.—The St. Louis American League first team profited by the wildness of Moran today and defeated the local Southern Association team, 8 to 5. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	8	11	1
Little Rock	5	10	1

Batteries—Park and Chapman; Moran, Couchman and Gibson, Rumler.

WIDNER LANDS WITH TACOMA AGGREGATION.

Billy Widner signed with the Tacoma club in the Northwestern League yesterday. Kitty Brashear acted as the agent for the northern club. Widner was released outright yesterday by the San Antonio club in the Texas League. As soon as Kitty heard of this he immediately got in communication with Widner. Late in the afternoon the boy dropped out to Washington Park and attached his name to an imposing document.

Widner enjoys quite a reputation among semi-pro ranks. He is a heady, hard-hitting catcher. The only thing that kept the late Happy Hogan from signing him a year ago as a Vernon Tiger was Widner's size. The boy is not very tall. He is stockily built and has a remarkable peg.

HENDERSON TO LEAD TROJANS.

CHIC Henderson, a freshman, was elected captain of the U.S.C. basketball varsity for next year. This is the first time in the history of the university that a freshman has ever been elected to captain any team. Because of this there is considerable excitement at the Trojan institution and Henderson is regarded as quite some pumpkin. A man has to be an exception to break down a college precedent like the one that decrees all college captains must be upper-classmen.

Henderson played guard on the U.S.C. team this season and his defensive game was brilliant. He was the star of the Trojan team. Formerly the captain-elect played on the Manual Arts High School team.

The Trojans are going to make much more of a feature of basketball than they have in the past. A coach will be engaged to coach nothing but basketball. The present plan is to have the call for basketball issued in September. This will give the Trojans a three months' start on all A.A.U. teams.

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News From Training Camps of the Enemy.

DRESSING DAY AT SEALS' QUARTERS.

SAN JOSE, March 23.—Today was a busy one in the Seals' training camp. The field at Luna Park was too muddy for any sort of a workout on account of last night's deluge of rain, and all day a gale of a north wind kept the players confined indoors.

Manager Berry made himself scarce immediately after luncheon and did not return all day.

About 10 o'clock several of the Seal players climbed out of bed, took a look at the raging elements in and around the park, and returned to their cots with much speed. No one in particular seemed to have pep enough to start anything and peace reigned undisturbed until noon.

During the afternoon a few of the more optimistic hopefuls managed to get courage enough to wade out to the field and view the broad expanse of water which covered the same. But they did not remain there long, for the wind and considerable rain made things rather sloppy on the diamond.

Most of the ball players handed out the opinion that Luna Park would not again be suitable for training until the signs of land were visible above the water. Only the first, second and third base sacks were floating on the top of the flood in a very prominent manner.

OAK REGULARS CAN'T FIND BATTING EYES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOYES SPRINGS, March 23.—In a seven-inning practice game here this afternoon between the Yannigans and the Regulars the Yans scored another victory, 8 to 1.

Pruett, Kallio and Boyd heaved for the Yannigans, while Prough and White pitched for the Regulars.

It was a rather spirited combat, the fielding of Davis and Barbeau featuring the work for the Regulars, while Burg showed up nicely for the Yannigans.

So far the Regulars have not been able to get their eyes on the ball and there was little hitting.

Chabek has not yet reported to Elliott, and if he does report to Oakland now the chances are Elliott will order him to remain at home until the team returns.

There is little likelihood that Druellette and Griffith will be retained, and the chances are that Pitchers White and Kallio and one or two other heavers will be released outright or turned over to a club in some league with a

BEE MANAGER TAKES A HOT FOOT BATH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MODESTO, March 23.—The morning was decidedly bad for the baseball work today and Blankenship issued an order that the regular work out would be dispensed with. There was a call for an afternoon programme at the Reds' ball park starting at one o'clock. After three-quarters of an hour came the rain, which was a mixture of hail that turned into snow. It chased the talent back to their hotel quarters. By the time they reached shelter the sun was shining and the wind was stilled, but it was rather late for more of the grind. Barring the hour on the field, Manager Cliff sat in his room with his rheumatic ankles safely anchored in a bucket of hot water.

"Doctor" Billy Burke had ordered his boss to keep off his feet as much as possible and said instructions were obeyed to the letter. It was all Cliffie could do to hobble to the field and back again, so he is unquestionably in need of attention.

M'CREDIE ENJOYS DOUBLE PLAYS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, March 23.—Former Northwestern League men in the Portland camp lined up today in a six-inning battle with the players from elsewhere and won the game. Even the addition to the antis of Bobby Vaughn, who reached camp today, failed to dismay the Northwest men. The score was 6 to 4.

Vaughn's arrival leaves only Dennis Wills missing from the camp. Vaughn is a medium-sized fellow, resembling Bill Rodgers in profile and general appearance, but not in awkwardness. He handles himself nicely. Vaughn is a right-hand hitter. He has not played any ball this spring, but has kept in shape playing golf over the Tacoma municipal course. The ex-St. Louis infielder refused to discuss his contract troubles.

"I am here now and I intend to give Portland the best there is in me," he said.

The sun was out again today and in the forenoon Manager McCredie had the men practicing on double plays. Carson Bigbee is beginning to look better.

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RIALTO.

In the East.

RUMOR OF BIG MERGER.

AMERICAN TOBACCO MAGNATE INTERESTED, IS REPORT.

By Grace Kingsley.

Telegraphic advices from New York are that Benjamin B. Hampton, a vice-president of the American Tobacco Company, has been named in rumors as the moving spirit in a plan to form a big combination of motion picture companies. Mr. Hampton has approached the heads of various companies, it is known, with the proposition of consolidating them. The Lubin, Essanay, Selig, Triangle and Mutual companies are the ones most frequently linked by the rumor.

As a part of his plan it was reported yesterday Mr. Hampton has made Miss Pickford a tentative offer to become one of the combination's principal stars, at a salary said to approximate $500,000 a year.

Photoplay favorites.

Mae Marsh, of the Fine Arts, who is starred in "Hoodoo Ann," to be shown at the Majestic next week, and Doris Pawn, who has lately joined the Fox company. She was formerly a member of the Universal forces.

Put on Gleeful Garments.

Complying with requests liberally made, the Orpheum announces that the coming Monday night will be "dress-up night" at that theater.

No, no; have no apprehensions! This does not apply to the stage at all, and the Hoffman "Sumurun" girls and the Gertie will be as decollete as ever. It is simply a hint that the audience may put on its moonlight scenery for once. In other words, give the clothing trade and the merchant tailors a reason for being. Of course the glad rags will not be obligatory, but if you have them or can get them, you won't feel at all strange if you wear them on this glad (rag) occasion. Jim Cullen has promised to sit in the audience in his stage frock, with its tent-like voluminosity and its velvet trimmings, as an example to the rest of the populace. And he has bought two seats for that purpose.

Ida's Poor Little Dress.

Ida St. Leon plays a poor little girl in "The Miracle Man," next week. For the role she has purchased a little gingham gown, which she feels will be ready to wear Sunday afternoon. Anyhow she has it in training. In other words, it is being worn to school by a little neighbor girl, and on Saturday it is to be laundered and faded. That is if there's anything left of it. Last night, the little girl, who is a very busy little girl indeed, came home from school with the dress almost in condition for the laundry. She explained she had helped one of the boys fix his motorcycle and got grease on it. After which she played a game of baseball and slid to base. She explained with tears in her eyes that she had meant to get it dirtier, but hadn't had time.

Prize Pippins.

More than 200 applicants for positions in the chorus of "Canary Cottage" called at the Morosco offices yesterday and signified their intention of appearing at the try-out which is to be held tonight in the Morosco recital hall, top floor of the Majestic Theater Building, between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock.

Mr. Morosco is installing a weighing machine and corps of tape measure experts to see that applicants are within the limits required for this chorus of beauties.

Earl Carroll and Al Mathews are tossing up for the tape-measure concessions.

Some Paintings.

Bernardo Gonzalo Villa has completed the mural decorations on the side walls of the lobby of Tally's Broadway Theater, and they will be unveiled to public view tonight at 8:30. The paintings represent spring and summer.

Mystery Note.

Manager Rork of the Majestic announced last night that he had made a ten-strike and secured the services of one of the world's greatest comedians to appear in person at the Majestic Monday night and entertain in his usual way for fifteen minutes or more. Who is this wonderful comedian, who has been hiding his light under a bushel in our very midst? Or has Mr. Rork become dazzled by figures (one means money) and does he indicate Charlie Chaplin?

On Tuesday night Douglas Fairbanks, the well known comedian, will appear. Ladies, don't crowd!

Untied Himself.

Russell Smith announces he has severed his connection with the Lasky Company, and means to free-lance henceforth. He is at present engaged in writing a big serial for the American, and he is also writing a series of three-reel dramas and comedies starring Jack Pickford at Selig's.

Smith recently wrote a light opera with a California setting, which Charles Dillingham will produce in New York next season, with Hazel Dawn starred.

Overflow Meeting.

There's a crowd which regularly congregates around the Orpheum stage entrance to view the girls of Gertrude Hoffman's "Sumurun" company when they arrive and depart. So steady is the stage-door patronage that one of the Johnnies yesterday left a sign on the fire hydrant: "Gone to lunch. Back in half an hour." At least so the P. A. reports.

Too Ladylike for That.

Evelyn Nesbit writes denying the report that she struck Jack Clifford on the street in Denver.

"I would never hit a man with a sore hand!" declares Miss Nesbit indignantly.

Finance Note.

Charlie Chaplin has just made Syd Chaplin, his brother, a present of $75,000 in recognition of the latter's business services in his behalf. Thus Charlie loses the tightwad championship he had nearly wrested from Harry Lauder.

Roscoe in the Flesh.

William A. Brady in dickering with Roscoe Arbuckle to go on the speaking stage in a revival of "Baby Mine."

However, reports have it that Roscoe has been offered $75,000 a year to renew his Keystone contract.

May Flit to Two-a-Day.

Francis Bushman may go into vaudeville. It is said that Pete Mack, booking agent, is chirping to Bushman, and offering a bait in the shape of $2500 a week.

Pearl of Great Price.

Pearl White was injured last week at Fort Lee while working in "The Iron Claw" serial, by being dragged some distance as she fell from an automobile. She is temporarily confined to her home.

Warner Rests.

Warner Baxter is to have a vacation next week from his labors with the Morosco company. He says he is going to spend it at the Y.M.C.A. swimming, throwing the Indian clubs, playing tiddledewinks and dominoes, and otherwise strenuously exerting himself.

The Wind's Playmate.

A. Burt Wesner has combed the market, as it were, for a set of patriarchal whiskers behind which to play the role of the patriarch in "The Miracle Man" at the Morosco next week. He has at last obtained a set of beauties, guaranteed to be the most patriarchal whiskers ever displayed in the Southwest. The whiskers are local, having been grown near Lancaster, Los Angeles county.

LEFTY OWEN IS QUITE POPULAR.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MODESTO, March 23.—The ownership of Lefty Owen, the young southpaw who is the bone of contention between Portland and Salt Lake, is by no means settled. Bill O'Connor, business manager of the Saints, left tonight for San Francisco, equipped with ambassadorial powers, and Friday morning will hunt up Prexy Baum for the express purpose of getting a final ruling.

"Personally," argued Blankenship this afternoon, "I don't see how Portland can claim title to this pitcher. The only thing he did was to send a letter to McCredie in which he expressed the view that a young pitcher ought to get at least $150 a month in the Coast League. I don't consider that is making his terms and the fact that McCredie sent him a contract based on the sum mentioned doesn't make it binding."

JACK M'CARTHY COACHES CARDS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, March 23.—Jack McCarthy, who has umpired many of Stanford University's baseball games, was appointed coach today to the Cardinal squad, to succeed Harry Wolter, who resigned and will leave tomorrow for the south and go into training with the Los Angeles Coast League team. The appointment was made by the Executive Committee, subject to the approval of the athletic advisory board.

Against the Wind.

TIGER RUNNERS MAKE GOOD TIME.

LUPHER RUNS REMARKABLE RACE IN QUARTER-MILE.

Tornado on Backstretch Cuts Down Time of Relay Team. Harry Kirkpatrick Starts Competition Under Fair Conditions the Record of 3 Min. 29 1-5 Sec. Would Have been Ruined.

Running into a near tornado on the backstretch and running in the third lane nearly three-quarters of the way around the track, the Occidental College relay runners tore off a mile in 3m. 29 4-5s. yesterday afternoon.

NICE HANDICAP.

Harry Kirkpatrick was given a fifty-yard lead on Ohl, the first runner, and with the shorter distance to run he gave Gerald Hills sixty yards on Shorty Wells. Shorty put his head down and ploughed into a head wind with all his might but Thome had a good fifty-yard lead on Lupher.

Lupher ran the fastest lap of the bunch and anybody with half an eye could see that he was making wonderful time. He cut Thome's lead down to less than five yards and Thome is no slouch.

INTERFERENCE.

There was nobody else to run the last lap against Cook so Cowsert, Sam Pritchard and Huddleston hastily beat it around the turn, forming a beautiful screen through which the stocky Tiger anchor man had to pick his way.

For the men to make 3:29 4-5 under the worst possible conditions is considered more than remarkable and there are a lot of young men who would like to have had a look at the watches which clocked Lupher's third lap. It is safe to say that under good conditions the Tigers would have clipped from three to four seconds off their time.

Among the Cinders.

CITRUS BELT MEET IS STELLAR EVENT.

LUTZ OF REDDANDS HOPES TO CAPTURE TITLE.

San Bernardino or Redlands Scheduled to Grab Initial Honors—Pomona, Riverside and Ontario to Battle for Lesser Places—Allen and Cook Should be Sensations.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, March 23. — The stellar event of track in the citrus belt section will be staged at San Bernardino Saturday, the annual track meet of the Citrus Belt League. Coach Lutz of the local High School says that his men are in the best of condition and that the chances of winning the meet are fairly good.

Those who have been following the records in the dual meets say that San Bernardino or Redlands are due to grab the first place in the meet this year. Pomona seems to have the edge on Riverside and will probably take third place. The Ontario team will probably be fifth in line.

Allen, the lengthy speed artist of the local school, is improving every day and promises to give Cook a close rub in the 100-yard dash and the 220. Frost of Redlands will probably take the mile and the half-mile. He has not been defeated this season. Bradley of San Bernardino is a safe bet in the pole vault and he is a good miler. Chestnut of Redlands can take the high hurdles if he does not get nervous and knock over half a dozen of the sticks. He stands a good chance of taking first in the broad jump, also. Green and Sawyer of Redlands should place in the high jump and the local runners are doped to take the relay.

The meet will be held at the new grounds in San Bernardino and they are making preparations there for a crowd of 2000. Because the meet is on home grounds the San Bernardino men are doubly anxious to take the big event.

HIGH-GRADE TENNIS IS DISHED ACROSS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, March 23.—Tennis of an exceptionally high order came yesterday in the first and second-round matches of the invitation tournament at the Longwood covered courts in Chestnut Hill, but to Harry C. Johnson must be handed the palm.

Johnson defeated G. C. Caner, Jr., of Philadelphia and Harvard in the second round, 9-7, 6-4, and the match was by all odds the best of the day.

Caner in the first round eliminated G. H. M. Kelliher of California, a Harvard man, rather easily, 6-2, 6-0, and in this match Caner's strokes looked good enough for a final.

The collegian found the veteran Johnson, however, at the top of his game, and when the last-named is playing his best tennis there are few at the indoor game in the country his superior. Johnson played a severe game all the way, and so did Caner, for that matter.

The first set was a hummer. Johnson led five games to three, and was within two points of taking it, the score being 30-0 in the ninth game, when Caner made a magnificent stand.

Large Quantities of Excitement.

WILLARD TRAINS WHILE MORAN TAKES IT EASY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Jess Willard put in a busy afternoon with his trainers in the clubhouse gymnasium.

He went much faster than when he took his so-called workout yesterday. He put in a full session with the pulleys and repeated his shadow boxing. Then he took on Hample, Rodel and Walter Monahan for two rounds each. The champion appeared in excellent condition.

EASY WORKOUT.

Trainer Willie Lewis allowed Moran to go along in a leisurely way today. In the morning, Moran took a short walk. He spent the greater part of the forenoon reading his mail, the size of which made the dining-room look like a branch postoffice. He has not developed a "grouch" as pugilists frequently do when on edge, but he did not seem to be much interested when he went through some light work and for the movie cameras in the gymnasium.

NO KICK COMING.

Moran's training partners are well pleased with the challenger's condition. Willie Lewis, who has had charge of Moran in his training for his fights on both sides of the Atlantic, said today:

"I never saw Frank look so well or in such splendid condition before any of his previous battles. He is stronger, more vigorous and vastly more confident than when he trained for his last two bouts with Coffey, and his hands are in fine shape, which was not the case when he met Coffey last January."

TICKETS ALL GONE.

In less than an hour after the gallery tickets were put on sale at the Madison Square Garden today every one was disposed of and hundreds of would-be purchasers were turned away.

Some doubt appears to exist in the camps of both Willard and Moran regarding the rules under which the bout will be fought. There has been considerable talk about hitting in the clinches and in the breakaway. A study of the contracts shows clearly, however, that the bout is to be conducted under the rules and regulations of the New York State Athletic Commission.

This code differs widely from the Marquis of Queensbury rules, which do not restrain a boxer from punching an opponent at any time during a clinch, and it is understood that the principals must protect themselves at all times, both in the clinches and in the breakaways.

The rules of the New York Athletic Commission, on the other hand, distinctly provide that there shall be no hitting in the breaks. The regulations covering these points are as follows:

LOTS OF RULES.

"The kidney punch or blow shall be forbidden in all contests. The backhand punch or blow is also forbidden. The contestants shall break clean and shall not strike a blow while breaking from clinches. Contestants must not hold and hit. Butting with the head or shoulders, wrestling or clinching or illegal use of elbows shall not be allowed. There shall be no unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of the contestants. This shall include the use of abusive or insulting language."

The commission has announced that these rules must be strictly observed and that the referee, Charley White, will be instructed to see that they are obeyed. White has not as yet conferred with either of the principals and is not likely to see them until he enters the ring to officiate.

ANOTHER FLURRY.

Another edict that has caused a flurry in the camp of the promoters is the one promulgated by the commission that there must be at least three four-round, one six-round and one ten-round preliminary bouts put on before the big fellows enter the ring. It was stated here tonight that if this order was complied with it is likely that the first of the preliminaries will be begun at 6:30 p.m. This would clear the way for the semi-final between Battling Levinsky and Jim Savage at 8:30 and Willard and Moran would enter the ring one hour later, in accordance with the original schedule. The idea is prevalent that there will be such a great crowd inside and outside the big building. Outside the garden there will be 200 uniformed patrolmen, under an inspector, directing street and sidewalk traffic from Broadway, the subway, surface lines and other arteries of travel. Inside the garden will be stationed fifty detectives in civilian dress.

This is the largest number of men assigned to handle a fight in this city since the days of the old Horton boxing law, when it was not unusual for 500 uniformed patrolmen to crowd into the garden to witness bouts. Under the present statutes, policemen in uniform are not permitted inside unless called upon for aid by the management.

NO SMOKING.

The fire department announced it would have on hand seventeen men in uniform prepared to back up the management in a plan to keep the spectators from smoking.

"Puck" Crouse has left Pittsburgh for Australia, where he will fight Les Daroy.

The specter at the feast!

Ready for the Fray.

OFFICIALS ANNOUNCED FOR SOUTHERN CITY CLASSIC

CHARLES W. OESTING of San Diego was officially named as starter last night, of the San Diego Exposition Cup race scheduled to take place in the exposition grounds Saturday afternoon, by Al G. Waddell, official representative of the Contest Board of the A.A.A.

Wilson S. Smith of the southern city was named as assistant starter and Perry Gavin, prominent auto accessory man of that city, was recommended for clerk of the course.

THE TIMERS.

The timers appointed by the exposition officials and approved by the A.A.A. representative are George W. Colton, Warner M. Bateman and George James. The judges are E. G. Davies, C. W. McCade and Maurice Barsfield.

When it was announced that William M. Henry could not serve on the technical committee, the race management recommended the appointment of George Campbell as chairman, assisted by Carl Lundquist and Louis Almgren.

Leslie Moon was named as referee. The official sanction of the American Automobile Association was granted by Chairman R. Kennerdell over the wire yesterday afternoon a short time after the names of the approved officials were received at the New York office of the contest board. This sanction which is number 905, was held up on account of the attempt to get the approval of the Contest Board for a woman starter for the speed duel.

DRIVERS READY.

The drivers who are to compete in the exposition race went down to San Diego yesterday and their cars were shipped on the boat yesterday afternoon with the exception of Cliff Durant's machine which was driven down by his mechanic, Alfred Nelson.

DAVIN INELIGIGLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, March 23.—Perry Gavin of San Diego who was to have officiated as clerk of course in the San Diego Exposition race tomorrow, was declared to be ineligible by Al G. Waddell, representative of the Contest Board, of the A.A.A. last night. It was learned that Gavin is a member of the firm of Gavin & Williams, agents for Firestone tires and under rule fifteen of the A.A.A. is a representative of a competitor. account of Barney Oldfield's use of Firestone tires on his Delage car in the race.

Davis Duffield will coach the Detroit Boat Club oarsmen this year.

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Pasadena.

FORESEES ERA OF PROSPERITY.

Several Years of Good Times Ahead, Says New Yorker.

President of Waldorf-Astoria Invests Money Here.

Widow of Chicago Contractor Dies in Pasadena.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, March 24.—Brimful of optimism, George C. Boldt, president of the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel Company of New York, and owner of the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel in Philadelphia, declared last night at the Huntington Hotel that the people of the United States have before them four or five years of the greatest prosperity ever experienced in the history of the country.

"I do not share the pessimism of many easterners, who are looking for hard times after the war," he said. "And California in particular, I think, will reap tremendous prosperity because of the European conflict. Just look at the people that have come out here. Why, there are more eastern people here now than you can shake a stick at and everybody else is coming to come here; and they are all looking for property, too."

When asked if he had invested here he said: "Certainly; who would think of coming out here and doing otherwise. I bought the Spoore place at Altadena for my daughter, but that was me. You know, I'm nothing but a trailer now.

"New York." Mr. Boldt said, "is in its snowstorm, and it was also raining in Santa Barbara yesterday when he left. He will leave in a day or two for San Diego, and will return to Monticito, whence he will go back a little later to New York.

Joseph W. Cheney, treasurer and director of the Cheney Bros., silk manufacturers; president and director of the Manchester Railroad Company, director of the Central New York Railroad Company, and director of numerous other railroad and insurance companies, accompanied by several members of his family, arrived at the Huntington yesterday. They are guests from South Manchester, Ct.

After an illness of nearly three months Mrs. Jane Mortimer, widow of William Mortimer, a wealthy Chicago contractor, passed away here yesterday at the home of her son, F. G. Mortimer of No. 615 West California street, where she had been accustomed to passing the winters—in the midst among flowers.

Though ill and 79 years old, it was no more than a week ago that she was confined to her bed, having previously managed to arise every day.

Regardless of the fact that she could not, through the prestige of her husband, when a prominent part in the big things in life in Chicago, Mrs. Mortimer was a home body and her husband and children came first, although she was never too busy to aid the church or the poor. She was for half a century a member of the Unitarian Church of the Redeemer.

The funeral services will be held at the residence of her son on West California street at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Burial will be in Rosehill Cemetery, Chicago. The body will be accompanied East by her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Barker, who was out here with her. Besides this daughter and Mr. F. G. Mortimer, who is largely interested in the National Company of Los Angeles, as well as other manufacturing, she leaves the following sons and daughters. W. H. Mortimer, C. J. Mortimer, Mrs. George V. Carroll and Mrs. Barker of Chicago, and Mrs. L. C. Gaul of this city.

Mrs. J. H. Plant of No. 775 Cypress road is suffering from bruises about the face, head and body, as a result of injuries sustained when she was thrown to the pavement last night by an automobile driven by George Reed of No. 223 Meredith street. After being treated at the Emergency Hospital she was taken home. Reed, in making a report of the accident, said that she suddenly stepped from the curb in front of his machine.

According to President James A. B. Scherer of Throop College of Technology, steps are now being taken to establish here a chapter of the League to Enforce Peace. Former President William H. Taft is national president of the league, which is working to secure the insertion of a peace plank in the national party platforms which will provide for a league of nations.

Rose Villa del Arroyo, Pasadena. Advertisement.

AUTO HITS PEDESTRIAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, March 23.—Charles Wellington was seriously injured today when Mrs. Arthur Evans accidentally ran into him as she drove her automobile between this city and Hermosa Beach. She used her horn, which confused the man, who was in front of her on Hermosa avenue, and stepped directly in front of the machine. He lives at the Bell apartments in Hermosa Beach. Mrs. Evans is a jitney bus between Hermosa Beach and Redondo Beach.

COCOANUT ACROSS OCEAN BY MAIL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

HUNTINGTON PARK, March 23.—The queerest piece of mail matter in local postoffice history arrived this morning, addressed to Dr. Sigmund Frey, head of the Jewish Orphans' Home. A cocoanut from Hawaii was delivered to him by Postmaster Forman. The nut was still within its original fibrous covering and the address had been burned into the smooth outer surface with a burning needle. Sixty cents worth of stamps were necessary for postage, stuck on the nut itself.

Dr. Frey will use the nut as a text for a talk to the ninety children in the home on cocoanuts, monkeys, and the tropics in general. The children find great amusement in shaking the nut to hear the milk inside splash about.

The Harbor.

COUNCIL VIEWS OCEAN STORM

AND ENJOYS BANQUET PRESENTED BY HARBOR CHAMBER.

Improvement of Trade Boulevard Cause for Rejoicing—Proposed City Charter Under Discussion. Hotel Man Captures Burglar When Latter Drops Loot on Pavement.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, March 23.—During the windstorm today members of the City Council drove out to Point Firmin to view the swells breaking over the breakwater and enjoyed the trip in spite of the sand in the air.

The Councilmen came down to attend a banquet given tonight by the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce and inspected street work during the afternoon. Those in the party were Councilmen Conwell, Wheeler, Topham, Brain, Roberts, Mrs. Lindsey, L. A. Handley, president of the Board of Public Works, and A. C. Hansen, deputy City Engineer.

The banquet was given to celebrate the improvement of Sixth street and was attended by more than sixty members of the Chamber of Commerce. Ray Mitchell, president of the chamber, presided as toastmaster and the address of welcome was given by Roman Sepulveda, one of the heavy property owners on the street.

George H. Dunlop and Seward C. Simmons, members of the Board of Freeholders which drafted the proposed city charter, addressed the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce last night on the changes proposed. Special attention was given to the harbor provision and the borough privilege. Mr. Dunlop admitted that the proposed charter had many faults, but argued that it was a great improvement on the present charter.

CAPTURES BURGLAR.

Albert Ryan, proprietor of the National Hotel, captured a burglar early this morning single-handed and turned him over to the police. He was awakened when Christian Bjorn, a fisherman, dropped an assortment of hardware while passing the hotel and he gave chase.

Bjorn confessed that he and another fisherman had burglarized the store of the Maloy-Blanchard Company on Beacon street. He was turned over to the police and at his shack at Third and Center streets his partner, Svenning Johansen, was arrested. The police found about $100 worth of pocket knives hidden in an old oven and a large assortment of rifles, revolvers, hatchets, oarlocks and other articles that had been taken from the store.

Entrance was made through a second-story window at the rear of the store. The burglars had piled the plunder on the roof of a shed at the rear and were carrying it home in small lots.

AUTOIST PINNED UNDER MACHINE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, March 23.—While attempting to elude an automobile filled with local officers, George Hill lost control of a machine he was driving and ditched it on West Colton avenue. He was pinned under the machine and when taken out was found to be internally injured. He was taken to the Redlands Hospital early this morning. He will be taken to court as soon as released on a charge of having stolen the automobile he was driving.

William G. Wilson reported to the police late last night that his automobile, left standing before the Elks' home, had been stolen. The police later saw a machine answering the description, with Hill driving it. He was ordered to stop, but speeded up. Several shots did not gain the desired effect, so the officers piled in a high-powered machine and went after him.

Wilson later identified the automobile as his. Hill recently served six months in the County Jail for stealing copper wire.

San Diego.

TWO WOMEN CHARGE DOUBLE COURTSHIP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, March 23.—After having promised to wed two women of this city, James C. Ross, formerly of Detroit, a gay Lothario though somewhat aged, informed the two brides-to-be later that he had been killed by being thrown from a horse.

Ross, it is alleged, is the charge made today by Delia L. Karcher, a widow of this city, and one of the fiancees of Ross, who filed a breach of promise suit against him through her attorney, Johnson Davis, for $20,000. According to the complaint filed in the Superior Court, Ross, a wealthy man of about 60 years of age, visited Mrs. Karcher and, at the same time, though unknown to her, paid court to Mrs. L. O. Gaudin of 2161 Fern street.

Ross asked both women to marry him and became engaged to them after courting them from January until the first of March, the complaint charges. Then he was called away from the city on business.

A few days later Mrs. Karcher received a letter from William Stevens, dated at Los Angeles, March 14, stating that Ross had been thrown from a horse fifty miles from Yuma and died the next day from his injuries.

Mr. Stevens gave his address as Forest City House, Cleveland. Mrs. Gaudet received a similar letter. Afterwards, the women say, they saw Ross in San Diego, and that he was going under the name of James C. Robb. They compared notes and found the history of the courtship of each was almost identical.

The women are between 50 and 60 years of age.

Gardena Valley.

OFFERS PLANS FOR DRAINAGE.

Flood Control Engineer Recommends One Main Channel.

Nigger Slough Overflow to be Put Under Control.

Meeting at Torrance Discusses Important Project.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TORRANCE, March 23.—Supervisor Hinshaw and Flood Control Engineer Regan attended a meeting here tonight of the Federated Civic Societies of the South and West, recently organized among the various civic societies of the Gardena and Lomita valleys for the purpose of securing drainage and road construction.

Mr. Regan presented a comprehensive report in regard to Nigger Slough and other waters of the Gardena Valley, which suggests a remedy for a situation that has put main arteries of travel under water and flooded some 2000 acres of valuable farm lands.

Mr. Hinshaw outlined the scope of the proposed bond issue for flood control and the organization has decided to lend a strong support to the measure.

Mr. Regan's report is as follows:

To give a common name for all of that section between the lower end of your valley where it is crossed by the Southern Pacific and the Pacific Electric railways to San Pedro, and its higher end near Hawthorne, which includes Lenox station, Hawthorne, Moneta, Gardena, Torrance and Nigger Slough, I am calling all this section the Gardena and Moneta Valley, and will attempt to discuss it with you in this letter now, beginning at its lower end.

The surface of the water in Nigger Slough last summer during the months of July and August was fourteen feet above mean sea level, showing that it is possible to draw all of this water off through the excavation of an outlet channel, which should be constructed with such dimensions as not only to meet the run-off of the present time for your valley of forty square miles, or approximately 25,000 acres, but to drain forever in the future the entire valley after it is densely settled.

WHY LAND IS DIKED.

The question was asked me by some one of your committeemen why it was that certain owners of the land lying around Nigger Slough had diked the lower end of the valley so that the waters of Nigger Slough were prevented from escaping to the ocean. Now those having such an impression are in error. There are evidences of at least three old dikes across the lower end of the valley, but they were built not for the purpose of preventing the water of Nigger Slough escaping, but for the purpose of excluding the flood waters of the Los Angeles River from Nigger Slough. Portions of one of these old dikes may yet be seen along the east side of the highway east of the Southern Pacific Railway between the Dominguez pumping plant and Watson's Crossing. Portions of another old dike may be seen on the west side of these railroads; and portions of a third dike may be seen along the old Wilmington and Compton avenue near the home of Mr. Seabranch. These dikes were built for the purpose, as stated before, of excluding the Los Angeles River waters from Nigger Slough.

You are, no doubt, aware that many times in the past since the settlement of the Dominguez ranch, the Los Angeles River has flown in flood time into and out of Nigger Slough, the flood of '89 being so great as to pass around the point of Dominguez Hill, and in such volume as to carry away a barn of considerable size which stood upon the property now owned by Jesus Cruz.

During the past year an extensive search was engaged in to compile all of this early data. A number of the early settlers have furnished us statements that twice in the past the surface of Nigger Slough was raised nearly to the town of Gardena, creating a surface area of flood water of perhaps 2000 acres.

The sink or temporary lake to be found north and west of Gardena was early known as Amstoy Lake. The bottom of this temporary lake is approximately thirty feet higher than the surface of the water in Nigger Slough. The early owners, who, I think, were the Bixbys, constructed a ditch to drain Amstoy Lake of the amount of water which it collected at that early time; but the water now shed into both of these lakes is very much greater than it was thirty years ago, for the reason that the run-off or watershed is now very much accelerated through the construction of the public highways, streets in the subdivided tracts, and other agricultural improvements.

RELIABLE DATA.

We have what appears to be very reliable information in regard to San Gabriel Valley (in another part of Los Angeles county,) wherein it appears that an inch of rainfall now will produce as much run-off and flood water as a rainfall of three inches did thirty years ago. This acceleration of run-off or watershed is also apparent in your section. As the Gardena Valley may yet be said to be in but a slightly improved condition, the run-off into these two lakes has not yet in any degree reached its maximum. The area of the watershed feeding these two lakes, as said before, is approximately forty square miles, or 25,000 acres.

The property owners living in the north end of the valley, between Hawthorne and Inglewood, where their elevation is nearly sixty feet higher than the surface of Nigger Slough and thirty feet higher than the old Amstoy Lake, cannot lawfully do very much to get rid of their storm water, for the reason that any improvements by the way of drainage channels will accelerate the run-off, and hasten the arrival of the water, first at Amstoy Lake, and later at Nigger Slough, thereby creating an unnatural condition of run-off, laying those who create such a condition liable to legal restraint.

The drainage of these two lakes for the release of storm waters must necessarily afford large benefits not only to the owners of the lands lying within the lakes but also to lands lying all around their very flat shore lines. Los Angeles county will also be benefited by such an improvement from two sources: first, these drained lake beds will return a greater tax revenue to the county; also, a menace to the county boulevards will be removed. Four of the county boulevards in this valley were made impassable for weeks by the storm of January 15-18, the Harbor boulevard being impassable yet.

Those who own lands in the upper part of the valley above Amstoy Lake and between Hawthorne and Inglewood cannot drain themselves without raising the height of both of these lakes.

It must also be said that those whose premises lie along both the east and west limits of the drainage from Lawndale to Rosecrans, even including the country as far south as Torrance, are somewhat in the same condition as the people at Lenox; for if they, by construction of highways, subdivisional streets and the grading of their properties, create a run-off or a watershed more rapid than the country afforded when it was in a natural or grass stage, they must necessarily accelerate the run-off and hasten the filling of both of these lakes, and are therefore in some degree liable either to legal restraint or for participation in the cost of the drainage of the valley.

PLAN OUTLINED.

The plan which this department now proposes in outline is: One main channel through the lowest part of the valley, beginning somewhere south of Inglewood and following the sag or bottom of the valley to the old Amstoy Lake, which, I believe, is now known as the O. T. Johnson Lake; then widening and deepening the present outlet ditch across the divide between the old Amstoy Lake and the draw running down from Bridgedale to a connection with the head of Nigger Slough, along with the formation of the proper channel through Nigger Slough, on down to tide water. Tide water is found now to come north or inland as far as Watson Station on the Pacific Electric Railway.

The construction of such a main drainage channel is not an expensive undertaking, but, I might add to you now, that the tentative apportionment of $75,000 of the proposed bond issue for this section is only an approximation. As yet we have no surveys or estimates of the costs, and I feel certain that the Board of Supervisors would insist upon the land owners of this valley furnishing the right of way free to the county before the County Flood Control district would undertake the construction of the channel, which would be about twelve miles in length. I might add now that nearly four miles of this length will lie within Nigger Slough east of Normandie avenue, and another two miles of it in Nigger Slough, between Normandie avenue and Bridgedale, and another mile of it through the O. T. Johnson Lake, leaving but five miles of the twelve miles right of way to be acquired through useful lands.

In addition to the drainage of the Gardena Valley, I have been asked if the flood waters which accumulate in the sag along the north side of San Pedro Mountain and to the west of Lomita cannot also be drained into Bixby or Machado Slough, and this slough again in turn drained into the Wilmington basin. We have no surveys as yet to determine the practicability of taking care of the storm waters by this method in this locality, but I am inclined to think that it can be done within reasonable limits of cost.

COST OF PROTECTION.

A member of your committee raised this question with me, asking if the sections of the country which were most subject to overflow and which, of course, receive protection, should not pay a greater proportion of the costs of their reclamation; and he specifically referred to the country lying between Whittier Narrows and Alamitos Bay and San Pedro Harbor, pointing out that there was no question but what if this large area of the country could be effectually protected that the owners of these lands would receive an immediate benefit of a raise of 100 per cent. in their values, which is very true.

I might add, however, in answer to his question, that the lands of this particular section which he referred to are now assessed by the county at about $20,000,000, and persons connected with the Assessor's office, and whose duties it is to adjust the assessed value of the land in thee districts, permanent protection, that this assessed value would immediately be raised from $20,000,000 to $40,000,000, and that the revenue from the increased valuation would practically reimburse the Flood Control District for any disproportionate amount of cost which might be given to the lands of that section.

I may not have covered the question of flood control in your section as you see it or in the manner in which you may wish, but if your organization will appoint a committee of those who are best acquainted with the needs and history of your valley, who will go into this study with this department, I will be glad to go with them thoroughly into the matter of protecting your valley from the menace of flood waters.

J. W. REAGAN, Engineer.

NOTABLES PRESENT.

Officers of the federated societies were elected as follows: W. S. Rosecrans, Gardena, president; Richard Smith, Torrance, first vice-president; H. L. Hall, Lennox, second vice-president; C. L. Tilly, Strawberry Park, secretary, and Harry Dolley, Torrance, treasurer.

Among those present were the following: From Inglewood: H. H. Zilligitt, John Aerick, Leo Calkins, H. J. Anderson, D. F. Farley and G. O. Zilligitt. From Lennox: J. F. Millhouse, H. L. Hall and H. N. Clarey. Moneta: T. C. Pitman, Edward Founier, Gardena: W. S. Rosecrans, D. M. Town, Dr. C. T. Litton, Peter Robertson, Robert Robertson and William Dow, Lomita: W. A. Renn and G. B. Hodge. Bridgedale: F. R. Messmore, J. S. Schafer, C. L. Tilley, T. W. Murray, C. M. Buck. Hawthorne: L. W. Martin. Torrance: Richard Smith, John Carson, Herman Burmaster, George W. Neill, John S. Daggett, J. W. Isenstein, George Proctor, Harry Dolley, J. P. Donovan, J. W. Garver, J. A. Brady, Sam Rappaport, John Salm, A. H. Knutson, William Buth and J. Brosch.

HOLY ROLLERS ASK FOR A JURY TRIAL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, March 23.—The seven Holy Rollers arrested here because they shouted so loudly and so late into the night that neighbors could not sleep, today demanded a jury trial. Justice Cox granted their request, with the date set for tomorrow morning.

The Holy Rollers have employed Attorney Lee A. Daniel to defend them and they are determined to take their cases to the Superior Court should they be found guilty. They declare that the law guarantees a man a right to religious worship according to the dictates of his conscience, provided he breaks no law, and they say they have broken no law.

Seal Beach.

PARTIES UNITE AT SEAL BEACH.

Election Results Assured Weeks Before Ballots Cast.

Seal Bulls Battle When Herd from North Invades.

Man with Foot-pontoons Goes to Bottom of Bay.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SEAL BEACH, March 23.—With the dove of peace hovering over the ranks of the present local city officials and those who have expressed their intention of running for office in the coming municipal election, May 10, factional differences have been settled, and the campaign, with but one party in the field, is expected to be as peaceful as a grapejuice banquet.

There will be several changes in the present list of officials, however, a number of those holding office at present having announced their intention of withdrawing from the coming race.

City Clerk Havens and Trustee Eichorn have declared their intention of not being candidates for office again, while Trustee Little, in whose drug store the City Council now holds its sessions, will resign from the administrative body to run for City Clerk.

J. E. Adams and R. D. Richards will be candidates for Trustees. Walter Pfaffenberger, Harry Magie and James H. Blagge are the other three Trustees who will be placed on the ballot for re-election. M. H. Snow will run again for Treasurer, and Clarence Little, present Trustee, will be a candidate for City Clerk.

With all opposition to the present administration's plans and policies overcome, the people of Seal Beach expect to make great strides during the next two years. Peace at almost any price and harmony among the citizens and city officials is the motto of the city. With the municipality hardly a year old and only one ticket in the field for the various city offices in the coming election, the residents of Seal Beach, with the million-dollar amusement park nearing completion as an attraction, believe there is a great future for the city.

BATTLE OF SEALS.

Several residents of both this city and Alamitos Bay today witnessed one of the strangest sights that has ever been recorded in this section of the country, late this afternoon, when they were attracted to the edge of the bay bordering Seal Beach and Alamitos Bay by the hoarse barking of some two-score seals.

A big bull sea, the leader of the colony from which this city took its name, was leading a fight against the invasion of a herd of seals that had apparently swum down the channel from the North and intruded upon the comfortable rookery already established for some years by the local tribe of fur-bearing animals.

It was a gory bullfight in every sense of the word that took place as the invading strangers attempted to cross the bar just under the Pacific Electric trestle and at the entrance of the quiet bay where the local seals make their home. Following the sounding of the alarm of the approach of the newcomers the bulls of both herds immediately engaged in a death struggle that finally ended the lives of both after a spectacular and long-drawn-out fight.

The followers of each herd stood off a short distance behind their leader and added to the general confusion by their excited yelpings and the beating of their limbs upon the water.

After a fierce combat lasting for two hours, during which the water for yards in every direction from the meeting place of the contestants was thrashed into a crimson foam, both bulls floated ashore dead, with their long sharp fangs imbedded deep into the flesh of one another.

Leaderless, the invading seals from the North penetrated the precincts of the local rookery without further protests on the part of the original inhabitants of Seal Beach, who ceased their demonstrations after they realized that the chief of their colony had given up his life in their defense.

WALKS ON WATER.

H. Gary Wilson, a Los Angeles man, who thought he had invented a pair of shoes with which he could successfully emulate St. Peter, the Apostle, who found little difficulty in walking upon the water after declaring his faith in the Lord, now is of the opinion that as an inventor he is an excellent submarine explorer.

Wilson visited this city yesterday, carrying under his arms what he proudly described to the curious Seal Beach residents as "walking pontoons." A large crowd followed him over to the smooth waters of Alamitos Bay, where he demonstrated the great discovery which he had made in the way of non-sinkable pedal coverings.

Wilson engaged a boatman to take him to deep water, scorning the suggestion that he first try his waterproof shoes in shallow water.

Strapping on his water skates the inventor calmly and confidently stepped over the side of the boat and balanced himself victoriously on the placid surface of the still-water bay. He would write to Washington at once for a patent and was just dreaming of how to dispose of his millions when zip—his pontoons sprung a leak or something and the next thing Wilson knew he was flirting with the goldfish in the depths.

The light, inflated foot coverings of the sea stroller kept the remainder of his body submerged until the boatman came to the rescue with an oar. The inventor was finally dragged into the boat and revived with first-aid treatments on the shore. Anyone needing a good pair of ocean-walking boots may secure same by applying here, since the original owner returned to Los Angeles without them.

Hopes Women Will Adopt This Habit As Well As Men

Glass of hot water each morning helps us look and feel clean, sweet, fresh.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin; a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anaemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of multitudes of "nerve wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store, which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

In Treating Tuberculosis

It should be remembered that one of the aids to relief is found in abundance of fresh air—day and night—the largest possible freedom from overexertion and well-cooked pure food.

Attention to these should do much toward arresting the progress of the malady, but in many cases there is need for extra help. Where Nature has to work with a weakened body her power is limited. Before she can do her most, there must be a return to normality of functions.

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Gale Lashes Coast.

(Continued from First Page.)

Park the wind ripped 600 square feet of roofing off the Malabar-street schoolhouse.

Riverside got the same varieties of weather as were experienced here with the addition of a thunder storm. Horticultural Commissioner Sharp states that oranges were not injured by the hail unless they were puffed and there has been little puffing to date. Hail fell for ten minutes at Banning but the fruit buds are thought to be too far advanced to be hurt. Hemet, the largest deciduous fruit center in Riverside county, had no hail.

San Bernardino reports some damage to fruit and ranch crops from the hail and snow fell low on the mountains. Santa Barbara experienced mottled weather similar to that elsewhere but no damage is reported in any section.

Severe wind with dashes of pouring rain characterized the day at Bakersfield and for a brief space streets and lawns were made white with hail. The rainfall covered only a portion of the county. The total precipitation at Bakersfield was .44 of an inch, making the season's total 6.52 inches. From Hanford comes a dispatch saying that fruit experts estimate the damage to Kings county apricots on account of the rains of this week at 50 per cent.

Los Angeles received nine hours of sunshine out of a possible twelve for the day. The rainfall, including hail, was .1 inch, making 19.89 inches for the season, as against 14.76 inches to the corresponding date last year.

WITNESSES TESTIFY IN TRIAL OF WOMAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, March 23.—Prominent citizens crowded the Justice Court today when Mrs. Belle Robinson, former policewoman, was tried on the charge of conducting a disorderly house in the Hotel Crane.

Mrs. M. Wheeler testified that she had come here penniless and she told of meeting men on her trip to San Diego and taking them to the Crane.

Miss Violet Mayfield, a cabaret singer, a guest of the house, testified concerning four rooms in the hotel which have doors opening one into the other and which were occupied by two men and a woman and with the doors open generally.

Especial interest attached to the trial owing to the prominence of Mrs. Robinson, formerly one of the leaders of the city Purity Squad and the organizer of the "Boys' Busy Life Club."

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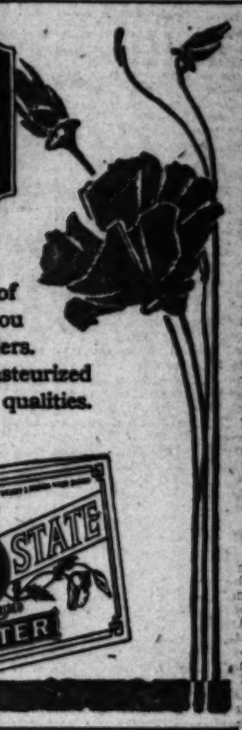

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PEAS—Fresh Telephones. 2 lbs. 15c; 4 lbs. 25c.

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Stocks and Bonds.

PERIOD OF LISTLESSNESS DOMINATES WALL STREET.

Leading Issues are First up and then Down with a Final Ending Several Points Under Opening Prices—Oils and War Shares are the Most Prominent in the Losses, Declines Reaching the Maximum in Bethlehem Steel.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—During the greater part of today's listless session leading stocks rose and fell within fractional limits, except in the forenoon when an abrupt decline in the Mexican group, chiefly Petroleums, caused recessions of one to five points.

Rails were more neglected than usual, until toward the close, when an inquiry for Reading which made an extreme gain of 1⅛, awakened interest in other shares of the same class.

In general munitions equipments and oils contributed more than their usual large quota, Mexican Petroleum being the most active issue of the day. It recorded an extreme loss of 5 1-4 at 1.04¾, but closed at 1.06 5-8. United States Steel offered some resistance to pressure on forecasts of earnings for the quarter now drawing to a close, but Bethlehem Steel continued to yield, falling 9 to 495.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 485,000 shares.

The Bank of England increased its gold holdings by over $4,000,000, incidentally strengthening its liability reserves, while the Bank of France gained $2,362,000 gold, but increased its note circulation by over $25,000,000.

Southern Pacific was first of the important roads to submit February earnings, with a net increase of $294,000.

Bonds were steady with further heavy trading in Anglo-French 5s. Total sales of bonds, par value, were $2,625,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

STOCK SALES COMPARED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, March 23, 1916	$ 2,600,000
Same day of week last year	2,912,000
From January 3 to date	248,724,000
Same period in 1915	142,840,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, March 23, 1916	474,296 shares
Same day of week last year	444,116 shares
From January 3 to date	39,480,748 shares
Same period in 1915	14,829,869 shares

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Following were the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.		High.	Low.	Close—Bid.	Asked.
900	Alaska	20½	19⅞	19⅞	20
....	Atlantic C. L.	....	....	110	112
1,200	Allis Chalmers	30½	29¾	29⅞	30½
400	Allis Chal. pfd.	75¾	75	75	75¾
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CLOSING PRICES ON NEW YORK CURB.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
B. & N. Y.	3	3½	Min. Ex.	20	22
Can. Cop.	1 7-16	1½	Nev. Hills	18	20
Con. Ariz.	1⅝	—	Nipissing	6¾	7
Con. Cop. Mines	1⅝	1¾	N. Star	14	16
Davis Daly	1⅞	1⅞	Ohio Cop.	3-16	5-16
Ely Con.	6	8	P. Gas Elec.	62½	63
El Paso	⅜	½	Do. pfd.	60	....
First Nat.	5⅝	6	Profit	8	[illegible]
Fraction	8	9	Riker Corp.	1⅛	1¼
Florence	50	55	Sterling G.	1⅜	1½
Hollinger	29	30	Stewart M.	⅜	5-16
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Mont. Ton.	25	30	U. Eastern	4⅛	4¼

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Anglo	15½	16	Prairie Oil	425	430
Atl. Ref.	655	675	Prairie P.	223	225
Borne S.	290	300	Solar Refg.	290	300
Buckeye	101	103	S. Pipe	205	210
C'brough	740	760	S. P. Oil	364	367
Colonial	175	190	S.W. Penn. Oil	110	112
Continental	300	320	S. Oil Cal.	254	256
Crescent	41	43	S. Oil Ind.	540	550
Cum'land	62	65	S. Oil Kan.	465	475
Eureka	214	215	S. Oil Ky.	357	362
Galena	151	153	S. Oil Neb.	355	365
Do. pfd.	137	140	S. Oil N. J.	528	535
Ill. Pipe	170	181	S. Oil N. Y.	210	212
Ind. Pipe	104	106	S. Oil Ohio	540	550
Nat. Tran.	18	20	Swan & F.	135	140
N. Y. Tran.	190	200	Union T.	80	85
N. Pipe	102	104	Vacuum	221	227
Ohio Oil	252	255	Wash'ton	40	45
Pierce Oil	14¼	14¾			

UNLISTED STOCK PRICES.

[Furnished by Jno. O. Knight & Co., 434 H. W. Hellman Bldg.]

	Bid.	Asked.
American Oilfields	$ 15.00	$ 19.00
Anaheim Sugar	70.00	85.00
Arizona Hercules Copper	2.00	2.60
Bank of Italy	122.50	140.00
California Delta Farms	53.50	58.00
California State Life	13.00	16.00
Carter Gold M. & M.	.16	.17½
Citizens' Corporation	75.00	100.00
Continental National Bank	100.00	105.00
Continental Securities	60.00	65.00
Craig Shipbuilding	75.00	80.00
Globe Grain & Milling	110.00	120.00
Gold Reed M. & M.	.20	.24
Good Springs Anchor	.47½	.55
Great Republic Life	4.50	5.50
Hale-McLeod Oil	.05	.08
International Indemnity	3.50	5.00
Jerome-Verde Copper	1.00	1.37½
L. A. Inv. 6 per cent. notes	77.00	80.00
L. A. Inv. 12 per cent. notes	98.00	101.00
Lake View Oil No. 2	.42½	.50
London-Arizona Copper	.20	.40
Long Beach Steamship	90.00	100.00
Mascot Copper	1.00	1.50
Merchants' Ice & Cold Storage	60.00	75.00
Mexican Premier Oil	.04	.07
Montebello Oil Co.	.75	.85
Mt. Diablo Oil	.03	.05
New Cornelia Copper	15.00	16.00
New Jersey Mining	.05	.08
Owl Drug Co. com.	42.00	52.00
Owl Drug Co. pfd.	98.50	100.00
Pacific Sewer Pipe	20.00	30.00
Pacific Wharf & Storage	7.50	12.50
Palmer Annex Oil	.08	.10
Pioneer Consolidated Mining	.07¾	.08¾
Premier Oil	.15	.20
Provident Pledge Corp. pfd.	.27	.31
Riverside Portland Cement	67.50	75.00
San Francisco Life	.34	.42
San Joaquin L. & P. com.	7.00	10.00
San Joaquin L. & P. pfd.	67.50	72.50
State Consolidated Oil	.45	.56
Telluride M., M. & Dev.	.28	.32
Union Tool pfd.	74.00	....
Vulcan Fire Insurance	9.00	11.00
Western Casualty & Guaranty	1.50	2.50
Western States Life	7.00	8.00
Western Steam Navigation	40.00	....

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, March 24, 1916.

Bank clearings yesterday were $3,540,090.98, an increase of $507,561.61, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Monday	$4,042,080.42	$3,101,348.83	$3,749,641.57
Tuesday	3,795,120.54	3,078,156.30	3,800,404.49
Wed'day	4,222,113.83	3,664,307.52	3,717,652.55
Thursday	3,540,090.98	3,032,529.37	3,642,728.49

Stocks and Bonds.

HEAVIER TRADING ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.

SPECULATIVE INTEREST IN HOME COMMON INCREASES.

Report that Two Local Companies Have Completed Plans for Consolidation Sends Phone Stocks Up. Boundary Cone Continues Advance. Big Jim Lower.

Greater activity at improved prices was the order of the day at Thursday's session of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange. The sudden rise in value of Home Telephone Common was the big feature of the meeting, based on the report of opening of consolidation negotiations. Closing the day before at 30.00 bid, the first sales yesterday were recorded at 34.00, with a high in the afternoon of 37.00. The preferred stock sold at 69.00.

In the mining list Boundary Cone led the advances and the stock sold strong at higher prices with each sale. Big Jim had a tendency to weaken and Ivanhoe was not any too steady. United Eastern and Tom Reed were in better position at 4.20 and 1.56 respectively, and a good demand was shown for Arizona Tom Reed, Tom Reed Junior, Gilt Edge and Sunnyside. Union Oil was noticeably stronger and a large amount of Amalgamated changed hands at better prices. National Pacific was still weak on the rumor of an assessment.

Having received the approval of the listing committee and the board of directors, stocks of the following Oatman companies are subject to call on the local board, after due posting, at the option of the respective corporations: Sundial Gold Mining Company, Oatman North Star Mines Company, Adams Mining Company and the Iowa Gold Mining Company.

EARNINGS STATEMENT.

The gross operating revenue of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for the month of February totaled $1,600,035.35 as compared to $1,488,543.00 for the same period last year. Net income aggregated $736,765.29 and $401,046.12 was carried over into the surplus account. For the twelve months ending February 29, gross operating revenue amounted to $18,732,722.01, a gain of $1,660,136.80, as compared to the figures for the same period last year. Net income increased $1,103,669.35, surplus $1,617,762.60, and unappropriated surplus $1,182,486.51.

LOCAL CLOSING. STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 85.00	....
Associated Oil	67.00	68.00
Columbia	1.00	1.02½
Enos Oil Co.	.03	.05
Fullerton Oil	....	3.50
Globe	....	.02½
Midway Northern	.18	.25
National Pacific Oil Co.	.05¾	.06¾
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)	.20	....
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.30	....
Union	72.62½	73.00
Union Provident Co.	70.50	71.00
United Petroleum	70.00	....
United Oil Co.	.20	....
White Star Oil Co.	.10	.12½

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	....	$130.00
Citizens' National	247.00	....
Commercial National	....	220.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	210.00	325.00
First National	640.00	....
German-American Tr. & Sav.	365.00	....
Hellman Com. Tr. & Sav.	....	205.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	140.00	155.00
Hibernian Savings Bank	120.00	....
Merchants' National	320.00	325.00
National Bank of Cal.	200.00	220.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	375.00	....
U. S. National Bank	155.00	....

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Hospital	....	$ 77.50
Consolidated Realty Co.	$ 62.00	....
Emergency Hospital	33.00	....
Home Telephone pfd.	69.00	70.00
Home Telephone com.	36.00	....
L. A. Athletic Club	3.50	....
L. A. Brewing Co.	100.00	....
L. A. Investment Co.	.62½	.63¾
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	....
Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co.	500.00	572.50
Producers' Transportation Co.	80.00	82.00
San Diego Home T. & T. Co.	....	5.00
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	100.00	....
So. Cal. Edison com.	88.00	92.00
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co. pfd.	15.00	20.00

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	99	100
Associated Oil Co.	101½	104
Associated Oil Co., 1st Refg.	96¾	....
California Pacific Ry.	....	98
Corona Power & W. Co.	97	....
Cucamonga Water Co.	99½	100¼
Edison Elec. Co., 1st Refg.	100	....
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	99	....
Home Telephone Co.	91¾	93¾
Home Tel. Co. 1st Refg.	85	87
Home Tel. & Tel. of S. D.	30	45
Huasteca Pipe Line	65	95
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	101	....
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.	97	....
L. A. Pac. Ry. 1st Refg.	....	94
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	95	....
L. A. Public Market Co.	100	....
L. A. Railway Co.	98½	....
L. A. R.R. Corp. 5s	90	91½
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	98	....
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	96½	97½
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	85
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	95	97½
Pac. Light & Power Co.	92	....
Pac. L. & P. Gtd.	94	....
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.	88½	....
Pomona & Ont. L. & P. Co.	80	....
Prod. Transportation Co.	95	....
S. Monica Bay H. T. Co.	85	65
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	60	65
San Diego Home T. & T.	....	45
Temescal Water Co.	100	....
Traders' Oil Co.	....	82½
Union Oil Co.	88½	89
Union Transportation Co.	98½	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	....	70
Visalia Water Co.	96	101
Whittier Home T. & T. Co.	75	....

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Arizona Tom Reed	$ .24¾	....
Argo Mines	....	.22
Big Jim Gold Mining Co.	1.44	1.45½
Boundary Cone	.60¾	.60½
California Hills	.02	.06½
Cons. Mines Co.	.04¾	.04¾
Dome Mining	.15	.17
Fessenden Gold	.26½	....
Gilt Edge	.13¾	.14
Gold Range	.13	.14
Gold Dust	....	.28
Ivanhoe Con. Mines Co.	.22	.25½
Jerome Oatman	.13¾	....
Lucky Boy	.10	.21
Sunnyside Mining	.20	....
Tom Reed	....	1.57
Tom Reed, Jr.	.20¾	.020¾
United Eastern	4.20	4.30
United Western	.24¾	....
Yellow Pine	1.70	1.95
United Northern	.16½	.20

SALES.

Morning session—

60	Amalgamated Oil	$ 84.50
1,000	National Pacific	.06¾
10	Home Telephone com.	34.00
10	Do.	35.00
3,000	Tom Reed, Jr.	.20¼
1,000	Do.	.20¼
100	Lucky Boy	.20½
1,000	Boundary Cone	.58½
1,000	Do.	.58¾
1,000	Do.	.59¾
1,000	Do.	.60
1,000	Do.	.60¼
100	Big Jim	1.45
200	Do.	1.43
300	Ivanhoe	.23
1,000	Do.	.22½
1,000	Do., buyer 30 days	.23½
2,000	Gilt Edge	.13½
2,000	Do.	.13¾
2,000	Sunnyside	.20
1,000	Consolidated Mines	.04¾

Afternoon session—

100	Tom Reed	1.56
500	Ivanhoe	.23
100	United Eastern	4.20
80	Union Oil	72.50
1,500	Arizona Tom Reed	.25
50	Home Telephone com.	35.00
10	Do., buyer 30 days	35.50
10	Do.	36.00
10	Do., buyer 30 days	36.00
20	Do.	37.00
20	Do., buyer 30 days	37.50
10	Do.	36.50
10	Do., buyer 30 days	37.00
20	Home Telephone pfd.	69.00
200	Big Jim	1.40
1,000	Boundary Cone	.60½
2,000	Consolidated Mines	.04¾
1,000	National Pacific	.05¾
5,000	Do.	.05¾

Informal—

50	Home Telephone com.	33.00
800	Tom Reed	1.53
100	Do.	1.54
100	Do.	1.55
500	Big Jim	1.48
400	Do.	1.45
7,000	Tom Reed, Jr.	.20
2,000	Consolidated Mines	.04¾
40	Union Provident	70.25
1,000	Arizona Tom Reed	.25¼
1,000	Do.	.25¾

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Bananas are expected to go higher in the near future. Shipments to this city have been delayed for one reason or another and as a result the supply is running short. One dealer has had a train of bananas stalled near Yuma for the last week, and it is reliably reported that several steamers which have been handling bananas as their sole cargo, have been withdrawn into the munitions transportation business. The time is rapidly approaching when apples, bananas and pineapples will comprise practically all the fresh fruit on the market, which will mean an accelerated demand for the tropical fruit. Today bananas are selling firm at 4½ cents a pound.

The local apple market is in a bad way. There is but little demand on the part of the public for apples, and some varieties are absolutely neglected. Bellefleurs in particular are a drug on the market, and although only a few dealers have any of this variety on hand, they are finding it a difficult matter to sell the apples at 1.15 to 1.50 a box. Spitzenbergs are diminishing rapidly and Winesaps and Pippins are growing scarce.

In the vegetable list artichokes are cheap, supplies being large and shipments to outside points not being as heavy as formerly. Peas are a trifle firmer, and although a fair range of values would be from 4 to 6½ cents a pound, first-class stuff is not selling for less than 5 cents per pound. Strawberry rhubarb is plentiful and shrewd buyers are picking the stuff up at practically their own prices. New potatoes tumbled in price yesterday, and there were plenty of wholesalers who were willing to sell really high grade shipping stock for 2.00 to 2.25 a lug.

Eggs were unchanged on the Produce Exchange yesterday and the staple was inactive. The only change in San Francisco was the advance of old style cheese to 18½ cents a pound. Receipts consisted of 773 cases of eggs, 59,500 pounds of butter, 2500 pounds of cheese, 2346 sacks of potatoes, 5 sacks of beans and 1929 boxes of apples.

HOME BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 21; candled, 23@25; northern fresh, extras, f.o.b. San Francisco, 21¼.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 28½ per pound; firsts, 26½. The selling price to the trade is 4 cents higher than above quotations.

PRICES CURRENT.

CHEESE — California, fresh, 21; eastern daisies, 23; eastern twins, 22½; Wisconsin longhorns, 22; eastern cheddars, 20@21; Oregon triplets, 23; Oregon longhorns, 21@22; new, 22¼@23; Oregon Twins, 22; Arizona longhorns, 21; imported Swiss, 40; domestic Swiss block, 27; Edelweiss, limburger, 24@26; Sierra, 1.10; jack, 17½; Canada cream, 90@1.00; German breakfast, 1.00; cream brick, 28.

CITRUS FRUIT—New navels, Sunkist, 2.00@2.75 box; fancy, 1.75@1.85; tangerines, 85 lug; kumquats, 20 lb.; lemons, 2.00; packed, 2.75; juice, 1.50; grapefruit, 1.75@2.75; limes, 85 basket.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, Bellefleurs, 1.15@1.50; Hood River Spitzenbergs, 1.50@2.75; Yellow Newtown Pippins, 1.15@1.35; Oregon Pippins, 1.65@1.75; White Winter Permains, 1.50@1.75; 4½-tier, 1.10@1.35; 4-tier Stayman Winesaps, 1.35@1.75; Winesaps, 1.75@2.25; Rome Beauties, 1.50@2.25; Delicious, 1.75@2.25; Arkansas Blacks, 1.75@2.50; bananas, 4½ lb.; loquats, 12@15 lb.; Bartlett pears, 2.50 box; 1.75 lug; Winter Nellis pears, 1.75 lug; pineapples, 6 lb.; pomegranates, 1.25 half orange box.

BERRIES—Cranberries, Late Howes, 15.00 barrel, 15 lb; strawberries, 8@10 basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Alligator pears, 12.00 dozen; artichokes, No. 1, 35@60 per dozen; No. 2, 20@30; No. 3, 10@15; asparagus, white, 6@7 per lb.; green, 9@10 per lb.; green tip, 8 per lb.; string beans, 30@35 per lb.; wax, 30; beets, 30 per doz.; cabbage, 90@1.00 a sack; 1½@1¾ lb.; red cabbage, 3½ lb.; carrots, 30 dozen; celery, Golden Heart, No. 1, 85@90 doz., 4.50 crate; hothouse cucumbers, 1.50@2.50; green chile, 30; eggplant, 20 per pound; horseradish, 12; onions, 17½@20 dozen; oyster plant, 35 dozen; leeks, 30 dozen; mushrooms, 25@40 per pound; lettuce, common, 25 doz.; 1.10@1.25 crate; chickory, 40 doz.; parsley, 20@25 doz.; Escarole, 35@40 doz.; parsnips, 35 doz.; peas, 4@6½ per lb.; Florida peppers, 30 lb.; local peppers, 10 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; mint, 40 doz.; radishes, 17½@20; rhubarb, 75@85; northern strawberry rhubarb, extra choice, 1.85; fancy, 1.60; romaine, 40 doz.; cream small squash, 55; Hubbard squash, 1¼@2 lb.; crooked neck yellow, 45 lug; summer squash, 50 lb.; tomatoes, 2.25 crate, turnips, 30.

POTATOES — Northern Burbanks, fancy, 1.85@1.95; extra fancy, 2.10; Idaho Russets, 2.20; Salinas, 2.35@2.40; Lompoc, 2.35@2.40; seed, Early Rose, 2.25@2.50; American Wonder, 2.10; Bliss Triumph, 2.25; White Rose, 2.00@2.10; new, 2.00@2.25 lug; sweet, 1.25 lug; 3.50 cwt.

BEANS — Pink, No. 1, 5.25; Lady Washington, 7.00@7.25; small white, 7.00; limas, No. 1, 5.25; Garvanzas, 5.50@6.00; black eyes, 4.00@4.50; lentils, 17.00@20.00.

RICE — Per 100 lbs.: Extra fancy, head, Carolina, 6.00@6.50; fancy head, 5.50@6.00; blue rose, 5.25; Japanese, 4.40@4.60; California, 4.25@4.75; Siam, 4.25@4.75; China, No. 1, 5.50; No. 2, 4.50; brewers', 2.10@2.15; broken, 2.75@4.25; rice bran, 18.00 a ton; rice middlings, 24.00 a ton.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 13½@14; ground chile, 8@10; Jap chile, 35@40 lb.; loose, 12½@13; Mexican, 16; chile telpins, 75@85 lb.; corn husks, 7; do., cut, 11@12; boiling onions, 3.00 lug; 10 lb.; White Globe, 3.50@4.50 cwt.; 1.60 lug; Australian Browns, 2.00@2.10 cwt.; Oregon Globes, 2.25; garlic, 12½@15; white sets, 12 lb.; yellow sets, 9 per pound.

HONEY — Comb, white, 12; water white, 14½@15; light, amber, 12½@14; strained, amber, 5½@6; white, 6½@7; water white, 7@7½; beeswax, 25@26 lb.

DRIED FRUITS — (25-lb. boxes faced, 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 7; extra choice, 7½; extra choice, 25s, 8; apricots, extra choice, 10½; fancy, 11¾; currants, bulk, barrels, 16½; pears, 12¼ pound; peaches, choice, 5¾; extra choice, 6¾; fancy, 7¼; prunes, 20-30s, 15; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 9; 50-60s, 8¼; 60-70s, 7½; 70-80s, 7¼; 80-90s, 6½; 90-100s, 5½; citron, 17½ lb.; lemon peel, 16½; orange peel, 16½.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz., choice, 6¼@7; fancy, 8@8½; 45 12-oz., choice, 6¼; fancy, 12-oz., 6¾; Not-a-seed, 48 12-oz., 8¼; 3-crown, loose, 50-lb. box, 7¼; 4-crown, loose, 50-lb. box, 7½; Sultana, unbleached, 8½; L.L., 3-crown, 1.50; 4-crown, 1.90; 5-crown, 2.40; 6-crown, 2.90; Thompson seedless, 36 1s, 9@11; bleached Thompson, 50-lb. boxes, 13½; Figs, loose, black, 25-lb. box, 1.50; loose white, 25-lb. box, 1.85 box; 6-oz. pkgs., 1.90 box. Dates, Golden, 60-lb. boxes, 9½; Fard, 60s, 10¾; 12s, 12¼; Dromedary, 10; Royal Excelsior, 8.

NUTS — New almonds, fancy, IXL, 16@16½; Ne Plus Ultra, 15½@16; cocoanuts, per doz., 1.10@1.15; filberts, 16; pecans, large, 18; peanuts, 5@6; eastern, 7; Japan, 7; Brazils, 17½@18; walnuts, Association, No. 1, 15½@16; Jumbo, 19; budded, 20; imported chestnuts, 9@10; eastern popcorn, 5@5¼ lb.; pine, 20 lb.

Provision List.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Pacific Coast Beef and Provision Company:) Following quotations based on delivered prices, weighed off cars, f.o.b. Los Angeles: Steers, 6¾@7; heifers, 5¾@6¼; cows, 5½@6; calves, 200 lbs. and under, 8½@9; hay calves, 7@8; bulls, 5@5½; wethers, 6½@7; ewes, 5¼@5½; lambs, 8½@9; yearlings, 7@7½; hogs, choice grain fed, 150 to 225 lbs., 7¾@8¼.

POULTRY — Prices to producers: Broilers, 32; fryers, 25; roasters, 22; old cocks, 9; hens, 16@18; turkeys, 22@24; ducks, 17@20; geese, 16; squabs, doz., 2.00@3.00.

MUTTON—Yearlings, 16½; wethers, 13½; ewes, 11½; racks, 16½; legs, 13½; loins, 13½; saddles, 18; trimmed mutton, 14½; forequarters, mutton, 10; hindquarters, 13; shoulder and breast, 9½; No. 2 yearlings, 15½; No. 2 mutton, wethers, 12½; No. 2 mutton, ewes, 10½; tongues, per lb., 10; plux, each, 10; heads skinned, each, 7½; brains, each, 8; hearts, per lb., 7; liver, per lb, 7.

LAMBS—Plain milk, 40 lbs. and under, 17½; do., caul, 17; regular, 15½; lamb racks, 22; trimmed lambs, 21½; forequarters, lambs, 14½; hindlambs, 20; loins, 22; legs, 18½; shoulder and breast, 11½; tongues, 10.

BEEF—(Furnished by Cudahy Packing Company:) No. 1 steers, 11¾; medium steers, 11½; Mexican, 11; No. 1 cows, 11¼; No. 2 cows, 11; No. 3 cows, 10; steer hindquarters, No. 1, 14; do., medium, 13½; cows, hindquarters, 13; forequarters, 9½; do., kosher, 9¾; good bulls, 10; No. 2 bulls, 9; short loins, 19; pin bone loins, 20; loins, No. 1, 18; medium loins, 17; cow loins, 17; No. 2, 16; ribs, No. 1, 8-rib cut, 14; No. 2, 8-rib cut, 13; cow ribs, 13; medium, 12; loin butts, 15@16; short chux, 9½; do., kosher, 8¼; full chux, 9¼; do., kosher, 8; triangles, 9; do., kosher, 7¾; plates, 8¼; do., kosher, 7½; briskets, 8½; do., kosher, 7¾; steer rounds and rumps, 12; cow rounds and rumps, 11½; do. rumps off, 13½; do., butt on, 12½; heifer rounds, 10½; tenderloins, fresh, 30; shoulder clods, 14; boned chux, 11; clod out, 10½; flanks, 15; whole flanks, 10; do., fats off, 11; shanks and clods, 8; shanks, 5; flank steak, 15; flank meat, 9; beef trimmings, 9½; fillets, 40; beef suet, 8; cod fat, 8; cheek meat, 7; sweetbreads, fresh, 20; calf sweetbreads, 65; cleaned tripe, 3; honeycomb tripe, 7; fresh tongues, 14; pickled tongues, 16; cooked tripe, 4; hearts, 7; livers, fresh, 10; ox tails, fresh, each, 9; brains, each, 8; kidneys, each, 8; feet, 10; feet, hide on, 25; heads (barbecue,) each, 3.50; marrow guts, 5.

VEAL—120 lbs. and under, 17; 121 to 150 lbs., 16½; 151 lbs. and up; 16; sides, 60 lbs. and under, 17; 61 to 80 lbs., 16½; 81 lbs. and up, 16; hinds, 45 lbs. and under, 19; do., 46 lbs. and up, 18; fore quarters, 45 lbs. and under, 13; do., 46 lbs. and up, 12; calves' tongues, per lb., 15; sweetbreads, 65; calf hearts, 8; calf livers, 20; calf heads, 10; calves' heads, skinned, 5; calf feet, each, 15; calf feet, skinned, 5; calf brains, set, 8; plucks, 10.

PORK—Dressed hogs, head on, 12½; do., heads off, 13½; trimmed hogs, 15½; loins, fresh, 17; do., legs, fresh, 15; shoulders, fresh, 11½; picnics, fresh, 11; briskets, 11½; butts, 14; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 10½; trimmings, 10; tenderloins, fresh, 27½; spareribs, 10; heads, per lb., 7; backfat, 9; tails, 7; neck bones, 4; pigs' feet, 4½; hearts, per lb., 7; livers, per lb, 5; kidneys, per lb., 6; tongues, per lb., 10; snouts, per lb., 5; ears, per lb., 5; chitterlings, 5; brains, each, 3; jowls, 8½; hocks, 11; rinds, 7; stomachs, 5; heads, jowls off, 5; jowls on, 7; leaf lard, 10½.

HAMS — (Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 22; fancy, 21; medium, 19@20; skinned, extra fancy, 23½; fancy, 22½; boiled, fancy, 31½; medium boiled, 30½; boneless, 28; picnics, boned, 15; smoked, 11.

BACON — (Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 4-6, 30; fancy, 6-8, 29; 8-10, 27; 10-12, 22½; 12-13, 21; narrow, 19½; strips, 12½; backs, 17; briskets, 13; smoked, 16; smoked, 6-10, 23; 10-12, 22; picnics, 12; boned picnics, 14½.

PICKLED MEATS — Pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; do., ¼ bbls., 2.50; do., ½ bbls., 5.25; do., bbls., 12.50; H.C. tripe, kits, 1.15; do., ¼ bbls., 2.60; do., ½ bbls., 5.00; bbls., 12.00; lamb tongues, kits, 2.50; ¼ bbls., 6.00; ½ bbls., 12.75; bbls., 32.00.

LARD — (Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 13½; fancy, 13; medium, 11@12; suetene, in tierces, 11; shortening, 12; lard compound, 8¼.

SAUSAGE — Fresh pork links, 13½; fresh pork, bulk, 13½; Meadow Grove pork, 1-lb. cartons, 18; clubhouse, 13½; Spanish style, pork, 14; blood, 10; liver, 10; headcheese, in casings, 10; sour headcheese, in 4-lb. blocks, 11½; Frankfort sausage, 11½@12; bologna, 10; garlic, 11; bologna, in paraffin sacks, 10½; Coney Island, Frankfurt style, 11½@12; mettwurst, 14½@15; minced sausage, in bladders, 14; do., in bungs, 14; luncheon loaf, with tongue, 19½@20; Berlin style, 15½@16.

SUMMER SAUSAGE — *Margherita Milano salami, 30; salami, Italian style, 29; *Italian cervelat, 28; farmer style, 21; Holsteiner, 20; Prosciutto hams, 27; Goteborg, 22.

*Above in case lots, 1 cent less.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS — D.S. bellies, 14; D.S. extras, 13½; D.S. clear backs, 13; D.S. fat backs, 12; D.S. jowls, 10; smoked butts, 19; boneless butts, 18; backs, 17; beef tongues, 32; do., boiled, 34; boiled and smoked, 36; insides, 28; outsides, 21; knuckles, 24; smoked briskets, 15; smoked plates, 12; smoked jowls, 12; carne seca, 35; spare ribs, 12.

FRESH FISH—(Wholesale price per pound:) Barracuda, 9; halibut, 8; rock cod, 7; rock bass, 7; sand dabs, 8; salmon, 12½@15; mackerel, 6; smelt, 8@10; tuna, 6; carp, 6; cockles, 7; bonita, 6; blue perch, 7; sole, 8; squids, 13; mussels, 5; smoked albicore, 12½; smoked salmon, 18; clams, 8@10; bulk oysters, 1.50 a hundred; quart oysters, 6.50 doz.; California oysters, 50 a hundred; lobsters, 24@27; scallops, 4.00 a gallon; shad roe, 25; whitebait, 15@20; crabs, 3.25@4.00 doz.; salmon trout, 25@27; yellow tail, 5@7.

SUGAR—(Per 100 pounds:) Prices quoted below are for the city of Los Angeles and are based on sacks; barrels, add 10 cents; ½ barrels, 25 cents; boxes, 50 cents; bales, 25s, 10 cents; 10s, 15 cents; 5s, 20 cents; 2s, 30 cents. All prices are net cash, less 15 cents a hundredweight, if invoices, dated from the first to the fifteenth of the month, inclusive, are paid not later than the twenty-fifth of the same month, or if dated from the sixteenth to the last day of the month, are not paid later than the tenth of the following month: Beet granulated, 7.20; standard cane, 7.40; standard berry, 7.40; cubes, sacks, 8.05; half cubes, 8.05; in ½ bbls. boxes, 8.30; ½-lb. cartons, 8.90; 2-lb. cartons, 9.15; powdered, 7.55; bbls., 7.75; Cons. A, 7.40; extra C, 6.95; Golden C, 6.85; D, 6.75; Dominoes, 5s, 11.95; Dominoes, 2s, 12.60; bar, 35-lb. tins, 9.85; bar, ½ bbls., 8.15; bar, barrels, 8.00.

SALT — Blue Cross, cartons, 48 2s, 1.60; 20 5s, 1.40; Angelus, bales, all sizes, 1.65; Blue Cross table salt, 150-lb. bales, 75 2s, 50 3s, 30 5s, 15 10s, 6 25s, bale, 1.75; Blue Cross Dairy, 50s, 15.00 ton; Angelus dairy, 50s, 14.00 ton; Snowflake brand, dairy, 50s, 14.00 ton; 100s, 13.00; table, 50s, 16.00; 100s, 15.00; ½ ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; flour, 100s, 13.00; ½ ground, and ice cream, 50s, 8.75@9.50 ton; do., 100s, 8.10@8.90 ton; hides, 167s, 8.75 ton; fish, 125s, 9.00; hay, 167s, 7.00; Kansas Salt, Morton free running, 24 2s, 1.80; cooking, 24 3s, 1.80; R.S.V.P., 20 5s, 2.90; 36 2s, 2.50; Seal, 36 2s, 1.30; 25 4s, 1.80; Seal Saxolin, Sanitary Pocket, 100 1⅛s, 3.00; 50 3s, 2.65; 20 8s, 2.85; 75 2s, 2.75; 40 4s, 2.85; 16 10s, 2.75; Riverside or Perfection, 86 1⅜s, 2.50 bale; 100 1½s, 2.50; 75 2s, 2.45; 38 4s, 2.40 bale; 15 10s, 2.35 bale; 6 25s, 2.35; ice cream, Snowflake, 15 10s, 1.50 bale; Ashland Dairy, 50s, 23.00 ton; 280s, 4.25 bbl.; kiln dried, 50s, 65; 100s, 1.20; 25s, 35; packers', 100s, 1.20; 50s, 65; lump rock, stock, 25.00. Quantity prices, one or assorted, miscellaneous sold; Shaker, 24 pkgs., 1.80; Diamond Crystal, 37 3s, 5.25; 100 3s, 5.50; 200 1½s, 6.25; D.C. cooking, 23 3s, 1.80; Worcester brand, Ivory salt, 24 2½ cartons, 1.75; bbls., 30 5-8, 30 10 sacks, 4.75; 100 3-lb. sacks, 5.00; 70 4-lb. 5.00; 60 5-lb. sacks, 5.00.

WHEAT FLOUR — Quoted by bbls.: Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 7.00; Aurora, 6.40; Trophy, 5.30; No. 1 hard bakers', 7.10; bakers' extra blend and California wheat blend, 6.60; Our Giant, 6.50; Eclipse, 5.90. Los Angeles Milling Co., Forex, 7.00 per bbl.; Purity, 6.40; Morning Glory, 5.30; Forex, bakers' extra, 6.60; bakers' pastry, 5.90.

GRAIN AND FEED—Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meal, 1.15; alfalfa [illegible] 1.20; barley, rolled, 1.60; [illegible] 1.60; corn, whole yellow, [illegible] white corn, 2.15; corn, cracked, [illegible] Kaffir corn, 1.75; Egyptian corn, [illegible] red feed oats, 1.85; white [illegible] 1.85; bran, 1.45; shorts, 1.55; [illegible] wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 2.10; [illegible] 2.05; cracked wheat, 2.30; [illegible] 1.60; oilcake meals, 2.50; rye [illegible] rolled oats, 1.90; scratch food, [illegible] food, 1.95; chicken feed, [illegible] chop, 1.50; feed meal, 2.15; [illegible] meal, carload lots, 23.15 per ton, [illegible] 26.00@28.00, f.o.b. Los Angeles.

Cornmeal, white	[illegible]		
Cornmeal, yellow	[illegible]		
Graham flour	[illegible]		
Rye flour or meal	[illegible]		
Oatmeal, ground	[illegible]		
Oatmeal, steel cut	[illegible]		
Hominy, large, small	[illegible]		
Cracked wheat	[illegible]		
Pearl barley	[illegible]		
Split peas, yellow	[illegible]		
Split peas, green	[illegible]		
Farina	[illegible]		
Nutrina Germ	[illegible]		
Buckwheat	[illegible]		
Entire wheat flour	[illegible]		
Health bran, 10 4-lb. pkgs.	[illegible]		

HAY—Alfalfa, 14.00@16.00 [illegible] ley hay, 18.00@21.00; [illegible] 20.00@23.00; wheat hay, [illegible] stock hay, 10.00@14.00; [illegible] 8.00.

Oil List

Pearl oil or Union water white, iron bbls. and wagons	[illegible]
Pearl oil, in cases	[illegible]
Standard G.M. gasoline, drums	[illegible]
Standard G.M. Gasoline, in cases	[illegible]
Union and Ventura gas machine gasoline, drums	[illegible]
Union and Ventura gas machine gasoline, cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Eocene oil, in cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Union Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
V. M. & P. naphtha, drums	[illegible]
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons	[illegible]
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Distillate, iron bbls. and tank wagons	[illegible]
Distillate, cases, 2 5s	[illegible]
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls.	[illegible]
Linseed oil, raw, in cases	[illegible]
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls.	[illegible]
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	[illegible]
Turpentine, iron bbls.	[illegible]
Turpentine, in cases, 2 5s	[illegible]

OATMAN STOCKS, SALES AND RANGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Oatman stocks ranged as follows:

Sales.	Oatman—	Bid.	Asked.	[illegible]
10,000	Argo	.24	.26	[illegible]
....	Ariz. T. Reed	.24	.25	[illegible]
1,100	Big Jim	1.42½	1.46	[illegible]
....	Black Range	.05	.07	[illegible]
....	Gilt Edge	.13	.15	[illegible]
....	Casey Jones	.10	.11	[illegible]
3,000	Gold Kay	.17	.18	[illegible]
....	Gold Ore	.09	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Gold Rd. B.	.17	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Lazy Boy	.08	.09	[illegible]
500	Lucky Boy	.20	.22	[illegible]
....	Nellie	.19	.20	[illegible]
....	Oatman C.	.18	[illegible]	[illegible]
....	Times	.21	.26	[illegible]
....	Tipperary	.11	.12	[illegible]
20,000	United W.	.25	.26	[illegible]

10%

is the dividend expected to [illegible] vestors in the common stock of [illegible] established food product. See J. B. Dodson, 504-8 Black Bldg.

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Grain.

SUBMARINE WAR SENDS WHEAT DOWN.

SINKING OF CARGO STEAMERS IS GREAT AID TO BEARS.

Market Shows no Power of Recovery After News of U-boat Raids is Received and the Closing is Over a Cent Lower—Corn also Falls Off.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Renewed activity of submarines causing the loss of four ships, two of them from the United States, had considerable to do today with a setback in the value of wheat. The market closed heavy, ½@1⅛ net lower with May at 1.08 and July at 1.06¼. Corn finished 1⅜@1⅝ down, oats off ¼@⅜ to ⅝ and provisions varying from unchanged figures to a decline of 15.

Sharpest breaks in the price of wheat followed the announcement of a second vessel from the United States having been destroyed by a submarine. This time the market showed little or no power to recover, and the last transactions were at virtually the lowest level of the day.

Heavy liquidating sales by holders sent corn decidedly downgrade. Oats displayed sympathy with the action of corn.

Provisions were weakened by the depression in grain. All strong spots in the market were taken advantage of to secure profits for owners of lard and ribs.

CLOSING PRICES.

Wheat, May, 1.08; July, 1.06¼. Corn, May, 72; July, 73½. Oats, May, 43; July, 42⅛. Pork, May, 22.75; July, 22.57. Lard, May, 11.35; July, 11.60. Ribs, May, 11.87; July, 12.05.

CASH GRAIN.

Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.12; No. 3 red, 1.09; No. 2 hard, 1.08⅝@1.12½; No. 3 hard, 1.07@1.09. Corn, No. 2 yellow, [illegible]; No. 4 yellow, 68¼@70; No. 4 white, [illegible]. Oats, No. 3 white, 42@43; standard, 44. Rye, nominal. Barley, [illegible]. Timothy, 4.50@8.00; clover, [illegible]@18.50.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
[illegible]	[illegible]	1.09⅞	1.07⅞	1.08	.....
[illegible]	[illegible]	1.08	1.06⅜	1.06¼	.....
[illegible]	1.06	1.06⅝	1.04⅝	1.04⅝	.....
Corn—					
[illegible]	.74⅝	.74⅝	.71⅞	.....	.72
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	.73½	.....	.73½
[illegible]	.74⅝	.75½	.73⅝	.73⅝	.....
Oats—					
[illegible]	.44⅛	.44⅝	.42⅞	.42⅞	.....
[illegible]	.42⅝	.43¼	.42⅛	.42⅛	.....
Pork—					
[illegible]	22.77	22.95	22.73	22.73	.....
[illegible]	22.70	22.77	22.57	22.60	.....
Lard—					
[illegible]	11.40	11.45	11.30	11.35	.....
[illegible]	11.60	11.65	11.52	.....	11.60
Ribs—					
[illegible]	11.87	12.00	11.85	.....	11.87
[illegible]	12.17	12.20	12.05	12.07	.....

DULUTH WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DULUTH, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.09⅝; July, 1.10⅜.

WINNIPEG WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WINNIPEG, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.09⅝; July, 1.08⅝@1.08½ bid. Oats, May, 42¼ asked; July, 42⅝.

KANSAS CITY WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

KANSAS CITY, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.00¼ bid; July, 99½. Corn, May, [illegible]; July, 76⅛.

ST. LOUIS WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, [illegible]; July, 1.03⅝. Corn, May, [illegible]; July, 72⅝.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.10¼; July, 1.11¼.

PORTLAND WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Wheat, no trading. Spot bids unchanged to 1 down. Bluestem, 95; fortyfold, 85; club, 84; Red Fife, 83; red Russian, 82. Barley, No. 1 feed, 25.50 bid. Car receipts: Wheat, 13; barley, 1; flour, 8; oats, 1; hay, 1.

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Wheat, no trading. Barley firm; May, [illegible]; December, 1.30 bid, 1.32 asked. Afternoon session: Wheat steady; no trading. Barley firm; December, 1.30½ bid, 1.32 asked; May, 1.34¼.

NEW YORK GRAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Wheat, spot, easy. Corn, spot, easy. Oats, spot, steady. Hay, steady. Lard, easy. Tallow, steady.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

Following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All prices quoted are based on lots of 100 tons or more, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 Club milling wheat	———	$1.80
No. 1 Sonora milling wheat	———	1.75
No. 1 Russian wheat	....	1.77½
No. 1 standard oats	....	1.60
No. 1 bright feed barley	$1.31¼	1.35
No. 1 dark feed barley	1.28⅝	1.33⅜
No. 2 yellow corn	....	1.76
No. 3 yellow corn	....	1.74
No. 2 white corn	....	1.75
No. 3 white corn	....	1.73
No. 3 mixed corn	....	1.73
Egyptian corn	....	1.70
Milo maize, local	....	1.70
[illegible] white bran	....	1.35
[illegible] red bran	....	27.00
[illegible] shorts	....	26.00
[illegible] mill run	....	27.50
[illegible] middlings	....	27.50
[illegible] middlings	....	31.25
[illegible]	....	25.50
[illegible] oats chop	18.00	19.00
SPECIALS.		
[illegible] mill run	....	26.50
[illegible] meal	....	22.00
[illegible] meal	....	23.25
Barley futures—		
[illegible] half April	1.25	1.35
[illegible] half April	1.27⅛	1.32¼
[illegible] half May	1.25	
[illegible] half May	1.26¼	1.28⅝
[illegible] half June	1.20	1.27½
[illegible] half June	1.15	....

GOOD CATTLE BRING OVER TEN DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Cattle brought the highest price today in the history of the stock yards for the month of March. Prime steers were sold at 10.00 a hundred pounds. Scarcity of good cattle among the farmers was given as the reason for the unusually high price which the steers brought. It was predicted that within two weeks choice cattle will bring 11.00. Reports from the farming district throughout the United States indicated that choice cattle were scarce at the present. This was caused by the foot and mouth disease in Illinois, Indiana and Iowa. Only 40,000 head of steers were shipped into the stock yards this week, which was 13,000 less than shipped to the yards during the corresponding week of last year. Buyers at the St. Louis and Kansas City yards also reported a scarcity of prime steers. Because of the scarcity of choice cattle, the price of hogs dropped from 10.00 to 9.75.

PRICE OF SILVER STEADILY RISING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Bar silver and Mexican silver dollars today attained their highest quotation since the beginning of the European war. Silver bullion sold at 59¾ an ounce and Mexican dollars at 46¼, these prices representing advances of 2⅜ cents and 2⅝, respectively, over last Saturday. Dealers in silver attribute the rise to a scarcity of supply in London and increased demand on the continent and in China.

LONDON SILVER HIGHER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Bar silver was strong and the price advanced ⅝ to 28⅛d per ounce today. The rise was due to meager stocks here and reported buying by India and China.

METAL MARKETS; NEW YORK PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—These prices were quoted on the Metal Exchange today: Spelter, 18.25 bid. Quicksilver, 200.00 bid. Bar silver, in London, 28⅛d, up ⅝d; in New York, 59¾, up 1¼; Mexican dollars, 46¼, asked 49.

COPPER, TIN AND LEAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Copper, steady; electrolytic, near-by, 28.00@28.50; June and later, 27.00@27.50. Iron, firm and unchanged. Tin, quiet; spot, 49.00@50.00. Lead, 7.85 bid; spelter, not quoted. At London, lead, £35 2s 6d; spelter, £94.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Evaporated apples, dull. Prunes, steady. Apricots and peaches, quiet. Raisins, steady.

CALIFORNIA LIMAS ARE SELLING SLOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Lima beans, hampers, in pods, slow at 3.50@4.00.

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Receipts, flour, 510 quarters; barley, 1320 centals; potatoes, 7010 sacks; hay, 260 tons; wine, 50,300 gallons; hides, 155. Vegetables, summer squash, 3.00 per crate; green peas, 3@5; bell peppers, 15@20.

TURPENTINE STEADY; ROSIN SELLS FIRM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) March 23.—Turpentine, steady, 51½@52; sales, 107; receipts, 20; stock, 8080. Rosin, firm; sales, 359; receipts, 453; stock, 73,797. Quote: ABCDE, 4.80; F, 4.85; GH, 5.10; KM, 5.25; N, 5.35; WG, 5.50; WW, 5.60.

GOOD FLAXSEED STRONG IN TONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, March 23.—Flaxseed of the best sort was in very good demand and stronger in tone compared with the futures. Poor stuff was in slack demand and unchanged. No. 1 seed on spot sold at Duluth May price to 4 cents over, to arrive at 1 cent less. Receipts, 23 cars; shipments, none; oil shipments, 466,330 pounds; oil meal, 845,455 pounds.

Duluth — Flaxseed recovered 3½ around the opening and then fresh selling appeared carrying the final prices down to new low levels on this movement. Crushers only bought at the recessions. May flax closed 1⅛ off and July 1½ off. Close: Linseed, cash, 2.16¼@2.17¼; May, 2.16½ bid; July, 2.16½ bid.

CALIFORNIA OIL CLOSING PRICES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Caribou, 1.00 bid; Claremont, 40 asked; Coal. Central, 10 bid; Cresceus, 25 asked; Globe, 1 bid, 3 asked; Home, 26 bid; Honolulu, 3.50 bid; Junction, 6 bid; Kern River, 3.00 bid; Maricopa National, 6 bid; Mascot, 75 asked; McKittrick, 35 bid, 50 asked; National Pacific, 3 bid, 4 asked; New Penn. Pet., 20 bid; Pac. Crude, 12 bid, 15 asked; Palmer Union, 2 bid, 3 asked; Palmer Union, pfd., 6 asked; Peerless, 5.00 bid, 7.50 asked; Premier, 10 bid, 20 asked; Rice Ranch, 1.30 bid; Section 25, 11.00 bid; Sovereign, 7 bid; S. W. & B., 6 bid; Union, 70.50 bid; United Oil, 19 bid; United Pet., 71.00 bid; West Coast, pfd., 116.00 bid.

HOGS FIVE HIGHER; CATTLE ARE STRONG.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Hogs, receipts, 21,000; market slow, 5 above yesterday's average. Bulk, 9.60@9.75; light, 9.20@9.75; mixed, 9.40@9.80; heavy, 9.35@9.80; rough, 9.35@9.50; pigs, 7.50@8.60. Cattle, receipts, 3000; market strong. Native beef steers, 7.70@10.05; western steers, 7.70@8.75; stockers and feeders, 6.00@8.25; cows and heifers, 4.10@9.00; calves, 8.00@10.50. Sheep, receipts, 13,000; market firm. Wethers, 8.50@9.25; lambs, 9.75@11.70.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) March 23.—Hogs, receipts, 6600; steady. Bulk, 9.35@9.60; heavy, 9.45@9.60; packers and butchers, 9.40@9.60; light, 9.25@9.52½; pigs, 8.00@9.00. Cattle, receipts, 1400; steady. Prime fed steers, 9.25@9.65; dressed beef steers, 7.90@9.20; western steers, 7.75@9.20; stockers and feeders, 6.75@8.75; bulls, 5.50@8.00; calves, 6.50@11.00. Sheep, receipts, 3800; steady. Lambs, 10.80@11.50; yearlings, 9.50@10.40; wethers, 8.25@9.00; ewes, 7.75@8.50.

PORTLAND LIVE STOCK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Cattle, steady; receipts, 50. Steers, grain and pulp fed, 8.15@8.50; choice hay fed, 7.75@8.15; good, 7.50@7.75; medium, 7.25@7.50; cows, choice, 6.75@7.50; good, 6.50@6.75; medium, 6.25@6.50; heifers, 6.00@7.75; bulls, 3.00@6.00; stags, 4.50@5.25. Hogs, easier; receipts, 801. Prime light, 9.25@9.35; prime strong weights, 9.00@9.25; good to prime mixed, 8.75@9.00; rough heavy packing, 8.50@8.75; pigs and skips, 8.00@8.35. Sheep, steady; receipts, none. Choice lambs, 9.50@10.00; common lambs, 8.25@9.25; choice yearlings, 8.25@8.75; good yearlings, 8.00@8.25; choice wethers, 8.00@8.25; choice light ewes, 7.00@7.25; choice ewes, 6.25@7.00; common heavy ewes, 5.00@6.00.

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Buying is not Impressive and Comes Principally from Old Shorts and on Resting Orders—Both Liverpool and the South are Moderate Sellers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Private cotton dispatches reported rather good rains in Texas, where they were needed badly. This brought in liquidation and encouraged the efforts of those bearishly inclined with the result that prices declined. Buying was not impressive, and seemed to come principally from old shorts and commission houses on resting orders. Liverpool was a moderate seller of the new crop months, and the south also offered moderately. As rain is predicted for the greater part of the western belt in the next twenty-four hours, it is believed that the long drouth will be effectually broken, and crop conditions naturally become more optimistic. News regarding the spot situation is very conflicting. Sections in Georgia reported a continued good demand for the spot article, while in New Orleans holders are reported as willing to offer more freely at the 12-cent basis. Inquiry in the export divisions shows no signs of improving, and the clearances daily continue extremely small. This unsatisfactory state of affairs, and the more productive crop growing weather in the western region have temporarily put the damper on bullish speculation and further lowering in values is likely.

Liverpool cables due 4½ lower on May, 3 lower on July and January and 3½ lower on October, came 2½ better than due on May and October, and 1 better on July. More inquiry for spot cotton; prices 1 up; sales, 8000; receipts, 11,000; American, 1700; middlings, 7.78; futures opened dull.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
January	12.35	12.35	12.29	12.32	12.33
February	.....	.....	.....	[illegible]	.....
March	11.85	11.85	11.81	[illegible]	11.84
April	.....	.....	.....	[illegible]	.....
May	11.94	11.96	11.86	[illegible]	11.89
June	.....	.....	.....	[illegible]	.....
July	12.06	12.10	11.98	12.02	12.05
August	.....	.....	.....	12.10	12.12
September	.....	.....	.....	12.09	12.11
October	12.18	12.17	12.09	12.13	12.14
November	.....	.....	.....	12.17	.....
December	12.30	12.31	12.24	12.27	12.28

Spots—12.00.

NEW ORLEANS SPOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 23.—New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 9.25; ordinary, 10.00; good ordinary, 10.50; strict good ordinary, 11.00; low middling, 11.50; strict low middling, 11.75; middling, 12.00; strict middling, 12.25; good middling, 12.57; strict good middling, 12.81; middling fair, 13.37; middling fair to fair, 13.62; fair, 13.87. Sales, 1035 bales; to arrive, 125 bales; delivered on contract, none. Tone of market steady.

RAW AND REFINED SUGAR QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 5.71; molasses, 4.94. Refined steady.

REFINED SUGAR.

Option—	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
January	4.20	4.30
February	4.20	4.30
March	4.62	4.65
April	4.64	4.66
May	4.67	4.69
June	4.70	4.72
July	4.72	4.73
August	4.75	4.76
September	4.79	4.80
October	4.79	4.80
November	4.56	4.58
December	4.42	4.44

Total sales—6850 tons.

LONDON AND NEW YORK MONEY QUOTATIONS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Bar silver, 28⅛d per ounce. Money, 4@4½ per cent.

NEW YORK MONEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Mercantile paper, 3@3¼. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.72½; demand, 4.76⅜; cables, 4.77. Bar silver, 59¾; Mexican dollars, 46¼. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, steady. Time loans steady; sixty days, 2½@3; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3@3¼. Call money steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

MEXICAN DOLLARS AND SIGHT DRAFTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Mexican dollars, 43; drafts, sight, 1; do., telegraph, 3.

BUTTER UNCHANGED; EGGS ARE LOWER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs, lower; receipts, 18,275 cases; firsts, 19¼; ordinary firsts, 18¾; at mark, cases included, 18@19¼.

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Butter, steady; receipts, 4490; creamery extras, 37@38; firsts, 36@36½; seconds, 34@35½. Eggs, barely steady; receipts, 23,484; fresh gathered extras, 22½@23; extra firsts, 21¾@22; firsts, 21@21½; seconds, 20¼@20¾. Cheese, firm; receipts, 823. State, held specials, 18¼@18½; do., average fancy, 18; current make, average run, 17¼@17½; Wisconsin Twins held, 18@18¼.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Eggs, fresh firsts, 18½.

RECORD PRICES PAID FOR LAMBS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EAST ST. LOUIS (Ill.) March 23.—The highest price ever paid for lambs at the National Stock Yards here was recorded today when 500 lambs sold for 11.70 a hundred pounds. The lambs were shipped from Windsor, Colo., and were put in feed yards before placed on the market. The average weight was 80 pounds.

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STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Following is today's range of prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds—		
4s quarterly coupon (new)	109⅞	....
4s quarterly coupon	109⅞	....
State Bonds—		
San Francisco Sea Wall 4s	4.00	....
Highway 4s	4.00	....
Municipal Bonds—		
San Francisco Municipal 3½s	4.35	....
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 5s	....	100⅜
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	102¾	....
Cal. Central Gas & Electric 5s	102¾	....
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Ser. A 5s	96½	....
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Unifying 5s	102⅜	103
Cal. G. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5s	99⅝	....
California Tel. & Light Co. 6s	[illegible]	....
California Wine Association 5s	97¼	98⅝
Central California Traction Co. 5s	....	89
City Electric Co. 5s	88⅛	89
City Investment Co. 5s	97¼	....
Coast Counties Light & Power 5s	92⅝	95
Edison Light & Power Co. 6s	105¼	....
E. I. du Pont de Nem. Pfr. 4½s	100	101⅛
First Federal Trust Co. 5s	85⅛	90
Great Western Power Co. 5s	90	....
Home Tel. & Tel. of Spokane 5s	100⅝	....
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	....	83¾
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5s	100⅛	....
Los Angeles Electric Co. 5s	101½	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	99⅞	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Corp. 5s	97⅞	....
Los Angeles Railway 5s	91	....
Los Angeles Railway Corp. 5s	[illegible]	....
Los Angeles Lighting Gtd. 5s	100	....
L. A.-Pacific Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	90	97½
L. A.-Pacific Railway of Cal. 5s	....	88⅛
Marin Water & Power Co. 5s	....	100
Market Street Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	64⅞	....
Natomas Co. of California 6s	64⅛	65⅜
Northern Railway Co. of Cal. 5s	108	....
Northern California Railway 5s	102⅛	....
Northern California Power Co. 5s	97	....
Northern California Power Com. 5s	74⅝	....
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	....	100
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	90	93⅛
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	....	80
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	....	56
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	84⅛	....
Omnibus Cable Railway 6s	....	94
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	88⅜	90⅛
Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 5s	92⅝	....
Pacific Electric Railway Co. 5s	94	95
Pacific Light & Power Co. 5s	....	94
Pacific Light & Power Gtd. 5s	96	100
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	100⅝	101
Sacramento Electric, Gas & Ry. 5s	102⅜	....
San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	99⅞	....
S. J. L. & P. Cor. (Ser. A) 6s	101⅜	....
S. F., Oakland & San Jose Ry. 5s	84⅛	....
S. F., Oak. & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	....	91
S. F., Oakland & S. J. Con. Ry. 5s	40⅝	....
Sierra Railway of California 6s	....	85
S. P. R. R. Co. of C. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	100⅛	....
S. P. Branch Ry. of California 6s	123	....
S. P. R. R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	90⅛	90⅜
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s	93⅛	93⅝
United Gas & Electric Co. 5s	102⅛	....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	41⅜	42
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	102⅜	....
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	59⅛	59⅝
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Northern California Power Co. Com.	10⅝	11⅛
Oro Electric Corp. pfd.	5	15
Oro Electric Corp. com.	....	5
Pacific Gas & Electric 1st pfd.	98	....
Pacific Gas & Electric pfd.	91⅝	....
Pacific Gas & Electric com.	62⅝	....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	300⅛	....
Bank Stocks—		
Anglo-California Trust Co.	105	....
Anglo & London-Paris Nat'l Bank	143	144
Bank of California, N. A.	191⅛	....
First National Bank of S. F.	228⅝	230
Mercantile National Bank	227	....
Savings Union Bank & Trust Co.	248	....
Union Trust Co.	[illegible]	....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	3725	4000
Humboldt Savings Bank	102⅛	....
Mutual Savings Bank	90	....
Security Savings Bank	345	....
Powder Stocks—		
E. I. du Pont de Nem. & Co. com.	....	377
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	49⅞	50⅛
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	47⅞	....
Honokaa Sugar Co.	9⅞	10⅛
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	29⅞	....
Kilauea Sugar Plantation Co.	....	20
Onomea Sugar Co.	59⅛	60⅛
Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co.	25⅛	25⅝
Union Sugar Co.	30	30⅛
Oil Stocks—		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	84⅝	....
Associated Oil Co.	67⅝	....
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	....	1⅛
West Coast Oil Co. pfd.	119⅝	....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Association	100⅛	100⅝
Armsby Co. of New York pfd.	....	92
Cal. Fruit Canners' Association	125⅛	129
California Wine Association pfd.	67⅝	69¼
California Wine Association com.	....	29⅝
Hunt Bros. Co. pfd.	....	85
Natomas	20⅛	....
North Alaska Salmon Co.	122⅝	....
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	5	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	94⅛	....
Philippine Tel. & Tel. Corp.	21⅛	22⅛

SALES.

Shares		Price
Morning session—		
3,000	Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	100⅝
2,000	Pacific Gas & Electric 5s	93
7,000	San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	100
10,000	Spring Valley Water Co. 4s	93¼
10,000	Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	90⅜
6,000	Cal. Gas & Electric Unifying 5s	100
5,000	United R. R. of S. F. 4s	42
8,000	United R. R. of S. F. 4s	41⅝
2,000	City Electric Co. 5s	88⅛
50	Amalgamated Oil Co.	84⅝
200	Pacific Gas & Electric com.	63
5	Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	97
85	Natomas pfd.	21
10	Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	50¼
200	Union Sugar Co.	30
Afternoon session—		
2,000	Pacific Light & Power 5s	98¼
6,000	Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	100⅝
2,000	Cal. Gas & Electric Unifying 5s	99⅞
1,000	Spring Valley Water Co. 4s	93⅜
50	Associated Oil Co.	68⅛
20	Spring Valley Water Co.	59⅛
150	Pacific Gas & Electric com.	63
55	First National Bank	228⅜
25	Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	50⅛

NEVADA MINE STOCKS SALES AND RANGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Following are sales and range of quotations:

Sales.	Goldfield—	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
11,500	Atlanta	.15	.14	.13	.15
......	Booth	....	....	.33	.34
......	Blue Bull	....	....	.02	.03
......	C. O. D.	....	....	.03	.04
......	Comb. Frac.	....	....	.07	.08
......	Daisy	....	....	.03	....
......	Dfd. B. B.	....	....	.01	.02
......	Florence	....	....	.38	.40
1,550	Gfd. Con.	.80	.84	.84	.85
2,500	Jumbo Ex.	.80	.77	.75	.77
1,000	Lone Star	.03	.03	.02	.03
1,000	Merger	.11	.11	.11	.12
......	Spearhead	....	....	.05	.06
......	Silver Pick	....	....	.05	.07
......	Vernal	....	....	.02	.04
......	Yellow Tiger	....	....	.02	.03
......	Oro	....	....	.04	.05
......	Sandstorm	....	....	.04	.05
500	Kewanas	.13	.13	.13	.15
	Manhattan—				
......	Big Four	....	....	.01	.04
......	Dexter Union	....	....	.01	.02
......	Gold Wedge	....	....	.01	.02
......	Man. Con.	....	....	.01	.02
......	Man. Dexter	....	....	.01	.02
2,300	White Cap.	.15	.14	.13	.14
	Comstock—				
6,100	Con. Virginia	.16	.14	.14	.15
......	Confidence	....	....	.10	....
......	Hale & Nor.	....	....	.08	.11
......	Mexican	....	....	.16	.17
1,600	Ophir	.35	.33	.34	.35
......	Savage	....	....	.06	.08
700	Sierra Nev.	.24	.24	.24	.25
400	Union	.44	.43	.43	.44
	Tonopah—				
200	Belmont	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.60
11,000	Cash Boy	.07	.06	.07	.08
10,000	Gipsy Queen	.03	.03	.02	.03
500	Jim Butler	.91	.90	.90	.91
2,000	Midway	.20	.20	.20	.21
12,000	Mon. P. Ex.	.08	.08	.07	.08
......	Montana	....	....	.31	.35
500	Mizpah Ex.	.21	.21	.20	.22
......	McNam.	....	....	.05	.07
900	North Star	.16	.16	.16	.17
46,100	Rescue Eula	.28	.27	.28	.29
......	Tono. of N.	....	....	6.50	....
2,000	Tonopah Ex.	5.05	4.95	5.05	5.10
......	Umatilla	....	....	.01	.02
......	West End	....	....	.79	.82
	Miscellaneous—				
......	F. S. Peak	....	....	.08	.10
......	Nev. Hills	....	....	.19	.21
6,700	Round Mt.	.61	.60	.57	.62
500	Rochester	.61	.61	.60	.62

STOCK PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Following are closing quotations:

Stocks—	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
American Can com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Can pfd.	111⅛	112⅛
American Ship com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Ship pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Booth Fisheries com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Booth Fisheries pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 1st	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 2nd	[illegible]	17
Chicago City Railways 3d	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 4th	1⅛	1⅝
Chicago Elevated Railways com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "A"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "B"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "C"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Title & Trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commonwealth Edison	[illegible]	[illegible]
Diamond Match	[illegible]	[illegible]
Illinois Brick	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. Ry. & L. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. Ry. & L. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Carbon com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Carbon pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
People's Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pneumatic Tool	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pneumatic Tool 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Quaker Oats com.	[illegible]	335
Quaker Oats pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sears Roebuck com.	[illegible]	170½
Sears Roebuck pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stewart-Warner com.	[illegible]	87⅛
Stewart-Warner pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Swift & Co.	[illegible]	132
Union Carbide	[illegible]	174½
Chicago Railways 5s	[illegible]	98⅛

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, MARCH 23.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. White, from San Francisco.

Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, from San Diego.

Steamer F. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, from San Diego.

Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Krause, from Greenwood.

Steamer George Loomis, Capt. Phillips, from San Diego.

Steamer San Jacinto, Capt. Carlson, from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas, Capt. Smith, from El Segundo.

Steamer Coronado, Capt. Skagland, from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Nome City, Capt. Schage, from Seattle.

Revenue cutter Bear, from San Diego.

Steamer Prentiss, Capt. Iverson, from Eureka.

Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Capt. Nelson, from Portland.

SAILED—THURSDAY, MARCH 23.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. White, for San Diego.

Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, for San Francisco.

Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, for Puget Sound, via San Francisco.

Steamer F. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, for Portland, via San Francisco.

Steam yacht Flonga, Capt. Johnson, for San Diego.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Steamship Line.
March 24	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 24	Portland, Bear	S. F. & Portland
March 25	San Francisco, Great Northern	G. N. P.
March 25	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 25	Puget Sound, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 26	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 26	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 27	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 28	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 29	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation

TO DEPART.

Date.	For—Steamer.	Steamship Line.
March 24	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 25	Portland, Bear	S. F. & Portland
March 25	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 26	Honolulu, Great Northern	G. N. P.
March 26	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 26	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 27	Puget Sound, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 28	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 29	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamers for Catalina Island leave San Pedro at 10 a.m., returning at 5:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Canal street, Wilmington, and foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

IN PORT.

U.S.S. Cheyenne and submarines H-1, H-2 and H-3, outer harbor.

Steamer Corwin, O. H. D. & W. Co.

Steamer Daisy Putnam, S. P. slip.

Steamer Gray's Harbor, S. L. wharf.

Steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas, outer harbor.

Steamer Alcatraz, L. W. B. L. Co.

Steamer San Jacinto, E. K. W. L. Co.

Steamer Coronado, S. P. L. Co.

Steamer Prentiss, P. W. & S. Co.

Steamer George Loomis, S. O. Co.

Steamer Nome City, S. P. slip.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Shna-Yak, Eagle Harbor, loading.

Steamer Carmel, Gray's Harbor, sailed March 18.

Steamer Aurelia, San Francisco, sailed March 21.

Steamer Raymond, Willapa, sailed March 19.

Steamer Santa Barbara, Portland, sailed March 21.

Steamer Vanguard, Eureka, sailed March 21.

Steamer Wapama, Portland, loading.

Steamer Brunswick, Eureka, loading.

Steamer A. M. Simpson, Coos Bay, loading.

Steamer William H. Murphy, Puget Sound, loading.

TO AND FROM ATLANTIC PORTS.

Steamer Harry Luckenbach, Balboa, loading.

Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, New York, via St. Thomas, Jan. 6.

Steamer Frederick Luckenbach, New York, sailed Jan. 19.

Steamer Floridian, New York, sailed Feb. 15.

Steamer Edith, San Francisco, for New York, loading.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Crown of Toledo, Liverpool, via Glasgow, sailed Jan. 12.

Steamer Acme, Corinto, loading.

Steamer Alliance, Corinto, loading.

Steamer Stanley Dollar, Valparaiso, sailed Feb. 22.

Japanese steamer Anyo Maru, Hongkong, sailed March 1.

Steamer Mayfair, Balboa, sailed Feb. 29.

Steamer Fairhaven, Corinto, loading.

Steamer Roanoke, Corinto, loading.

Norwegian steamer Boldredge, Osaka, sailed March 4.

Steamer Fair Oaks, Santa Rosalia, sailed March 17.

British steamer Gray, Vancouver, sailed March 18.

TIDE TABLE.

Friday,	March 24	6:35	1:20	5:10	....
		0.3	3.5	2.4	....
Saturday,	" 25	12:32	8:26	3:16	6:19
		5.5	0.4	3.3	2.9
Sunday,	" 26	12:32	8:26	3:16	6:19
		5.6	0.3	3.7	3.1
Monday,	" 27	3:20	11:12	6:04	10:38
		5.5	0.0	4.1	2.7
Tuesday,	" 28	4:33	12:06	6:44	....
		5.7	—0.2	4.6	....
Wednesday,	" 29	12:02	5:50	12:50	7:15
		2.0	5.9	—0.3	5.2

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

PORT ITEMS.

A strong northwest blow early today brought the steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas of the Standard Oil Company fleet of tankers into port from El Segundo for shelter. The steam schooners San Jacinto, Nome City, Coronado and Alcatraz, arriving from northern lumber ports, reported heavy gales for the past three days. Several yachts were blown ashore at Wilmington from the Los Angeles Motor Boat Club anchorage, but there was no damage to the south coast fleet in the outer harbor, under protection of Point Fermin.

The steamer Governor arrived from San Diego today and proceeded to San Francisco and Puget Sound with passengers and freight for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

The steam yacht Flonga, which arrived here from San Francisco several weeks ago, proceeded to San Diego today on cruise, with her owner, Thomas Thorkildsen, aboard.

UNLISTED BOND PRICES.

[Furnished by Jno. O. Knight & Co., 434 H. W. Hellman Bldg.]

	Bid.	Asked.
American Oilfields 6s, 1920	72½	75
Auditorium Co. 5s, 1926 (Serial)	97	100
Bear Val. M. Water 5s 1926 (Serial)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bible Institute 6s, 1919 (Serial)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Black Bldg. 6s, 1937 (Serial)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal. Delta Farms 6s, 1932	[illegible]	100¼
Cal. Portland Cement 5s, 1921	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cal. Portland Cement 5s, 1923	[illegible]	[illegible]
Central F. P. Bldg. 5½s, 1926 (Ser.)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chester F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1926 (Serial)	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Railway 5s, 1941	[illegible]	[illegible]
Consumer F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1930 (Ser.)	[illegible]	100
Dominguez Land Corp. 6s, 1922	[illegible]	100
Fontana Co. 6s, note 1920 (Serial)	[illegible]	100
Fontana Land 6s, 1926	[illegible]	100
General Petroleum 6s, 1921	[illegible]	[illegible]
Huntington L. & I. Co. 1926 (Serial)	101	[illegible]
Huntington L. & I. Co. 1920 (Serial)	101½	[illegible]
Long Beach Con. Gas 6s, 1940	[illegible]	101
L. A. Dock & Term. 6s, 1925	[illegible]	[illegible]
L. A. Gas & Elec. Bldg. 5s, 1930	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mer. F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1929 (Serial)	[illegible]	100
Metro. F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1923 (Serial)	[illegible]	[illegible]
Midland Counties G. & E. 6s, 1932	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mt. Whitney P. & E. 6s, 1939	101½	102½
Nevada-California Power 6s, 1927	[illegible]	101
Orpheum Theater & Realty 6s, 1939	102½	103½
Pacific Electric Ry. Bldg. 5s, 1931	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pacific Light & Power Bldg. 5s, 1931	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pacific Wharf & Storage 5s, 1934	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rindge Land & Nav. 6s, 1930	[illegible]	[illegible]
San Diego Con. G. & E. 5s, 1939	[illegible]	[illegible]
San Diego Home Tel. 5s, 1936	[illegible]	45
Santa Barbara G. & E. 5s, 1941	100¼	101½
S. Cal. Portland Cement 6s, 1936	78	[illegible]
Southern Counties Gas 6s, 1941	[illegible]	[illegible]
Southern Sierras Power 6s, 1936	[illegible]	101
Sutter Basin 6s, note 1918 (Serial)	[illegible]	100½
U. S. Grant Hotel 6s, 1920 (Serial)	[illegible]	100
Union Oil Co. 6s notes, 1918 (Serial)	100⅝	101½
Union Tool 6s, 1926 (Serial)	99	100

CLOSING PRICES ON SALT LAKE EXCHANGE.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, March 23.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Alta Con.	[illegible]	20½	Mineral F.	[illegible]	12
Alta Tiger	[illegible]	[illegible]	Moscow	[illegible]	[illegible]
Albion	27	28	Mtn. Lake	11	13
Beck Tun. Con.	[illegible]	20½	Nev. Hills	—	[illegible]
Bing. Amal.	7½	8¼	Ohio Cop.	—	[illegible]
Black Jack Con.	16½	18	Opohongo	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cedar Ex.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Plutus	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cedar T.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Prince Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Colorado	[illegible]	[illegible]	Rico Wel.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crown P.	[illegible]	6½	Rexall	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cardiff	.900	[illegible]	S. K. Coal	[illegible]	[illegible]
Daly	[illegible]	100	S. K. Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dragon Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Sioux Con.	[illegible]	14½
Emerald	[illegible]	[illegible]	S. Hecla	[illegible]	[illegible]
Emma Cop.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Swansea Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
G. Chain	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tar Baby	[illegible]	[illegible]
Grand Cent.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Tint. Cent.	7	[illegible]
Iron Blos.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Uncle Sam Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ind. Queen	[illegible]	[illegible]	Union Chief	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keystone	[illegible]	[illegible]	Utah Con. of Tintic	[illegible]	[illegible]
King W.	[illegible]	[illegible]	Vic. Con.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Leonora	[illegible]	[illegible]	Wilbert	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lower M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	W. Toledo	10	11
Mammoth	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yankee	[illegible]	[illegible]
May Day	15	15½			

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Sixteen cars navels, three mixed cars sold; also one car lemons. Market strong and higher on oranges and lemons. Weather fair.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Champion, Growers' F. Co.	$2.80
Sealrock, Growers' F. Co.	2.45
Old Mission, xf, iced, Chapman	2.55
Champion, iced, Growers' F. Co.	3.00
Sealrock, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.80
Regal, iced, Growers' F. Co.	3.00
Regent, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.85
Big Four, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.60
Orchard, imp, National O. Co.	3.05
Standard, imp, National O. Co.	2.90
Golden Cross, O. K. Ex.	2.95
Red X, O. K. Ex.	2.55
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.80
Blue Globe, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	3.10
Red Globe, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	2.90
Pepperleaf, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	2.65
Glen. Heights, xf, iced, A.C.G. Ex.	3.30
Glen. Heights, iced, Foothill	2.25
Evolution, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.05
Lotus, iced, O. K. Ex.	2.85
Pinecone, iced, R. H. Ex.	2.35
Arrowhead, iced, R. H. Ex.	2.30
Robusta, iced, A. H. Ex.	3.05
Parrot, iced, S. A. Ex.	2.95
Jameson, iced, Q. C. Ex.	2.40
Justrite, iced, Q. C. Ex.	2.35
Iris, iced, D. M. Ex.	2.70
Violet, iced, D. M. Ex.	2.15
Parrot, S. [illegible]	[illegible]
Parrot, iced, S. A. Ex.	2.65
Black Crusader, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Green Crusader, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Basket Ball, S. A. Ex.	2.05
ST. MICHAELS.	
Old Mission, iced, Chapman	$3.10
NAVELS—HALVES.	
Sierra Vista, imp	$1.25
BLOODS.	
Regent	$1.65
Sierra Vista	1.55
Peasant	1.40
TANGERINES—HALVES.	
Golden Cross	$1.55
Red X	1.20
Paul Neyron	1.55
Blue Globe	1.40
Red Globe	1.05
Glendora Heights, xf	1.70
Glendora Heights, Foothill	1.50
Squirrel	1.25
Palm Tree	1.05
LEMONS.	
Rossmoyne Grove	$2.75
Girl	2.20
Reindeer, E. L. C.	2.60
Arroyo, S. T. Ex.	2.55
Iris, D. M. Ex.	2.65
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.85
Fuschia, S. A. Ex.	2.60
Silver Gate, E. L. C.	2.60
Echo, S. T. Ex.	2.75
Tournament, S. T. Ex.	2.30
Violet, D. M. Ex.	2.10
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.40
ST. MICHAELS.	
Blue Bow	$2.50
ST. MICHAELS—HALVES.	
Blue Bow	$1.55
BLOODS.	
Blue Bow	$3.20
BLOODS—HALVES.	
Blue Bow	$1.85
TANGERINES—HALVES.	
Jumbo	$1.15
Sunnysouth	1.35
Sunnysouth Jumbos	1.10

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

March 22, Southern California, 122 cars oranges, 12 cars lemons.

NOTE—Green Banner navels average 2.81; Native, 2.70, omitted from Boston wire of Wednesday.

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, March 23.—Twelve cars sold. Market is strong on oranges; doing better on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Carnation, Speich & Co.	$2.70
Lochinvar, R. H. Ex.	2.35
Newsboy, R. H. Ex.	1.95
Quail, O. K. Ex.	3.05
Owl, O. K. Ex.	2.55
Peasant, A. H. Ex.	2.20
Dandy, imp, A. H. Ex.	2.15
Prairie Chicken, "O."	2.70
Camel, Q. C. Ex.	2.20
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.25
Corona Bells, Q. C. Ex.	3.20
Laurel, Q. C. Ex.	2.45
Mtn. Lion, Speich & Co.	2.40
Royal Knight, R. H. Ex.	2.15
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	2.70
Flyer, O. K. Ex.	2.80
Kenilworth, A. H. Ex.	3.30
Dandy, A. H. Ex.	2.45
Prairie Chicken, A. H. Ex.	2.55
Corona Crown, Q. C. Ex.	2.80
Family, Q. C. Ex.	2.45
Pinnacle, O. K. Ex.	2.85
Queen Bee, Q. C. Ex.	3.00
Princess, Q. C. Ex.	2.50
LEMONS.	
Pride of Corona, Q. C. Ex.	$2.95
Corona Beauty	2.40
BLOODS—HALVES.	
Homer	$1.55
Camel	1.30

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Five cars sold. Market strong on good stock navels.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Blue Bow, Blue Ribbon Groves	$3.30

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Following are closing quotations on active bonds today:

	Close.
Japan German 4½s	77
New York City 4½s	[illegible]
New York City 4½s	[illegible]
American Tel. & Tel. Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Atchison General 4s	[illegible]
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
California Gas 5s	[illegible]
Central Leather 5s	[illegible]
Central Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Chesapeake & Ohio Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Joint 4s	[illegible]
Chicago & Great Western 4s	[illegible]
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul 4s	[illegible]
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Consolidated Gas 6s	[illegible]
Denver & Rio Grande Ref. 5s	[illegible]
Distillers' Securities 5s	[illegible]
Erie General Lien 4s	[illegible]
Erie Conv. 4s "B"	[illegible]
Hudson Manhattan 5s "A"	[illegible]
Illinois Central Ref. 5s	[illegible]
Iowa Central 4s	[illegible]
Lackawanna Steel 5s	[illegible]
Lake Shore 4s	[illegible]
Lorillard 5s	[illegible]
Mexican Petroleum 6s "C"	[illegible]
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 2nd 4s	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific 5s, 1917	[illegible]
Montana Power 5s	[illegible]
New York Central 4½s	[illegible]
New York Central 6s "W. I."	[illegible]
New York-New Haven 6s	[illegible]
Northern Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Northern Pacific 3s	[illegible]
Oregon Short Line 4s	[illegible]
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	[illegible]
Pennsylvania 4s	[illegible]
Reading General 4s	[illegible]
Southern Pacific Conv. 4s	[illegible]
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Southern Railway 5s	[illegible]
Union Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Union Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
United States Steel 5s	[illegible]
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	[illegible]
United States Rubber 6s	[illegible]
Virginia Railway 5s	[illegible]
Western Union 4½s	[illegible]
American Smelting 6s	[illegible]
Anglo-French 5s	95

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Grain.

SUBMARINE WAR SENDS WHEAT DOWN.

SINKING OF CARGO STEAMERS IS GREAT AID TO BEARS.

Market Shows no Power of Recovery After News of U-boat Raids is Received and the Closing is Over a Cent Lower—Corn also Falls Off.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Renewed activity of submarines causing the loss of four ships, two of them from the United States, had considerable to do today with a setback in the value of wheat. The market closed heavy, ⅛@⅜ to 1⅛ net lower with May at 1.08 and July at 1.06¼. Corn finished 1⅜ to 1⅝@2⅛ down, oats off ⅛@⅜ to ⅝ and provisions varying from unchanged figures to a decline of 15.

Sharpest breaks in the price of wheat followed the announcement of a second vessel from the United States having been destroyed by a submarine. This time the market showed little or no power to recover, and the last transactions were at virtually the lowest level of the day.

Heavy liquidating sales by holders carried corn decidedly downgrade. Oats displayed sympathy with the action of corn.

Provisions were weakened by the decline in grain. All strong spots in the market were taken advantage of to secure profits for owners of lard and ribs.

CLOSING PRICES.

Wheat, May, 1.08; July, 1.06¼. Corn, May, 72; July, 73¼. Oats, May, 43; July, 42¼. Pork, May, 22.75; July, 22.57. Lard, May, 11.35; July, 11.60. Ribs, May, 11.87; July, 12.05.

CASH GRAIN.

Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.12; No. 3 red, 1.09; No. 2 hard, 1.08⅝@1.12½; No. 3 hard, 1.07@1.09. Corn, No. 2 yellow, ...; No. 4 yellow, 68¾@70; No. 4 white, 69@70. Oats, No. 3 white, 42@43; standard, 44. Rye, nominal. Barley, 60@73. Timothy, 4.50@8.00; clover, 10@12.50.

RANGE OF PRICES.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Wheat— May	1.09⅝	1.09⅝	1.07⅞	1.08	.....
July	1.07⅝	1.08	1.06⅛	1.06¼	.....
Sept.	1.06⅝	1.06⅝	1.04⅞	1.04⅞	.....
Corn— May	.74⅜	.74⅝	.71⅞	.....	.72
July	.75⅛	.75⅛	.73⅛	.....	.73¼
Sept.	.75⅞	.75⅞	.73⅞	.73⅝	.....
Oats— May	.44⅛	.44⅝	.42⅞	.43⅛	.....
July	.42⅞	.42⅞	.42¼	.42¼	.....
Pork— May	22.77	22.96	22.75	22.75	.....
July	22.57	22.77	22.57	22.60	.....
Lard— May	11.40	11.45	11.30	11.35	.....
July	11.60	11.65	11.52	.....	11.60
Ribs— May	11.87	12.00	11.85	.....	11.87
July	12.17	12.20	12.05	12.07	.....

DULUTH WHEAT.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DULUTH, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.10⅝; July, 1.10⅝.

WINNIPEG WHEAT.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WINNIPEG, March 23. — Close: Wheat, 1.08⅝; July, 1.08⅝@1.08¼ bid. Oats, May, 42¼ asked; July, 42¾.

KANSAS CITY WHEAT.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

KANSAS CITY, March 23.—Close: Wheat, 1.00⅛ bid; July, 99½. Corn, May, 70¼; July, 70⅝.

ST. LOUIS WHEAT.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.09¾; July, 1.03⅝. Corn, May, 72; July, 72⅝.

MINNEAPOLIS WHEAT.

[BY NIGHT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, March 23.—Close: Wheat, May, 1.10¼; July, 1.11¼.

PORTLAND WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Wheat ...; no trading. Spot bids unchanged to 1 down. Bluestem, 95; fortyfold, 88; club, 84; Red Fife, 83; red Russian, 82. Barley, No. 1 feed, 23.00 bid. Car receipts: Wheat, 13; barley, 1; flour, 8; oats, 1; hay, 1.

SAN FRANCISCO WHEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Wheat steady; no trading. Barley firm; May, 1.34, December, 1.30 bid, 1.32 asked. Afternoon session: Wheat steady; no trading. Barley firm; December, 1.30¼ bid, 1.31 asked; May, 1.34¼.

NEW YORK GRAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Wheat, spot, easy. Corn, spot, easy. Oats, spot, steady. Hay, steady. Lard, easy. Tallow, steady.

PRICES ON LOCAL GRAIN EXCHANGE.

Following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All prices quoted are based on lots of 100 tons or over, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

	Bid.	Asked.
No. 1 Club milling wheat	——	$ 1.80
No. 1 Sonora milling wheat	——	1.75
No. 1 Russian wheat	——	1.77½
No. 1 standard oats	——	1.60
No. 1 bright feed barley	$ 1.31¼	1.35
No. 1 dark feed barley	1.28¾	1.33¾
No. 2 yellow corn	——	1.76
No. 3 yellow corn	——	1.74
No. 2 white corn	——	1.75
No. 3 white corn	——	1.73
No. 3 mixed corn	——	1.70
Egyptian corn	——	1.70
Milo maize, local	——	1.35
Northern white bran	——	27.00
Northern red bran	——	26.00
Northern shorts	——	27.50
Northern mill run	——	27.50
Northern middlings	——	31.25
Local middlings	——	25.50
Rolled oats chop	18.00	19.00
SPECIALS.		
Local mill run	——	26.50
Corn meal	——	22.00
Cracked meal	——	22.25
Barley futures—		
First half April	1.25	1.35
Second half April	1.27½	1.32½
First half May	1.25	....
Second half May	1.28¾	1.28¾
First half June	1.20	1.27½
Second half June	1.15	....

GOOD CATTLE BRING OVER TEN DOLLARS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Cattle brought the highest price today in the history of the stock yards for the month of March. Prime steers were sold at 10.00 a hundred pounds. Scarcity of good cattle among the farmers was given as the reason for the unusually high price which the steers brought. It was predicted that within two weeks choice cattle will bring 11.00.

Reports from the farming districts throughout the United States indicated that choice cattle were scarce in all sections. This was caused by the foot and mouth disease in Illinois, Indiana and Iowa. Only 40,000 head of steers were shipped into the stock yards this week, which was 10,000 less than shipped to the yards during the corresponding week of last year. Buyers at the St. Louis and Kansas City yards also reported a scarcity of prime steers. Because of the scarcity of choice cattle, the price of hogs dropped from 10.00 to 9.75.

PRICE OF SILVER STEADILY RISING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Bar silver and Mexican silver dollars today attained their highest quotation since the beginning of the European war. Silver bullion sold at 59⅞ an ounce and Mexican dollars at 46⅛, these prices representing advances of 2⅜ cents and 2⅜, respectively, over last Saturday. Dealers in silver attribute the rise to a scarcity of supply in London and increased demand on the continent and in China.

LONDON SILVER HIGHER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Bar silver was strong and the price advanced ⅝ to 28½d per ounce today. The rise was due to meager stocks here and reported buying by India and China.

METAL MARKETS; NEW YORK PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—These prices were quoted on the Metal Exchange today: Spelter, 18.25 bid. Quicksilver, 200.00 bid. Bar silver, in London, 28½d, up ⅝d; in New York, 59⅞, up 1⅜; Mexican dollars, 46⅛, asked 49.

COPPER, TIN AND LEAD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Copper, steady; electrolytic, near-by, 28.00@28.50; June and later, 27.00@27.50. Iron, firm and unchanged. Tin, quiet; spot, 49.00@50.00. Lead, 7.8: bid; spelter, not quoted. At London, lead, £35 2s 6d; spelter, £94.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Evaporated apples, dull. Prunes, steady. Apricots and peaches, quiet. Raisins, steady.

CALIFORNIA LIMAS ARE SELLING SLOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Lima beans, hampers, in pods, slow at 3.50@4.00.

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Receipts, flour, 510 quarters; barley, 1320 centals; potatoes, 7010 sacks; hay, 260 tons; wine, 50,300 gallons; hides, 155. Vegetables, summer squash, 3.00 per crate; green peas, 3@5; bell peppers, 15@20.

TURPENTINE STEADY; ROSIN SELLS FIRM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAVANNAH (Ga.) March 23.—Turpentine, steady, 51¼@52; sales, 107; receipts, 20; stock, 8030. Rosin, firm; sales, 359; receipts, 453; stock, 73,797. Quote: ABCDE, 4.80; F, 4.85; GH, 5.10; KM, 5.25; N, 5.35; WG, 5.50; WW, 5.60.

GOOD FLAXSEED STRONG IN TONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, March 23.—Flaxseed of the best sort was in very good demand and stronger in tone compared with the futures. Poor stuff was in slack demand and unchaged. No. 1 seed on spot sold at Duluth May price to 4 cents over, to arrive at 1 cent less. Receipts, 23 cars; shipments, none; oil shipments, 466,380 pounds; oil meal, 845,455 pounds.

Duluth — Flaxseed recovered 3½ around the opening and then fresh selling appeared carrying the final prices down to new low levels on this movement. Crushers only bought at the recessions. May flax closed 1½ off and July 1½ off. Close: Linseed, cash, 2.16½@2.17½; May, 2.16½ bid; July, 2.16½ bid.

CALIFORNIA OIL CLOSING PRICES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Caribou, 1.00 bid; Claremont, 40 asked; Coal, Central, 10 bid; Cresceus, 25 asked; Globe, 1 bid, 3 asked; Home, 26 bid; Honolulu, 3.50 bid; Junction, 6 bid; Kern River, 3.00 bid; Maricopa National, 6 bid; Mascot, 75 asked; McKittrick, 35 bid, 50 asked; National Pacific, 3 bid, 4 asked; New Penn. Pet., 20 bid; Pac. Crude, 12 bid, 15 asked; Palmer Union, 2 bid, 3 asked; Palmer Union, pfd., 6 asked; Peerless, 5.00 bid, 7.50 asked; Premier, 10 bid, 20 asked; Rice Ranch, 1.30 bid; Section 25, 11.00 bid; Sovereign, 7 bid; S. W. & B., 6 bid; Union, 70.50 bid; United Oil, 19 bid; United Pet., 71.00 bid; West Coast, pfd., 116.00 bid.

HOGS FIVE HIGHER; CATTLE ARE STRONG.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Hogs, receipts, 21,000; market slow, 5 above yesterday's average. Bulk, 9.60@9.75; light, 9.20@9.75; mixed, 9.40@9.80; heavy, 9.35@9.80; rough, 9.35@9.50; pigs, 7.50@8.60. Cattle, receipts, 3000; market strong. Native beef steers, 7.70@10.05; western steers, 7.70@8.75; stockers and feeders, 6.00@8.25; cows and heifers, 4.10@9.00; calves, 8.00@10.50. Sheep, receipts, 13,000; market firm. Wethers, 8.50@9.25; lambs, 9.75@11.70.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) March 23.—Hogs, receipts, 6600; steady. Bulk, 9.35@9.60; heavy, 9.45@9.60; packers and butchers, 9.40@9.60; light, 9.25@9.52½; pigs, 8.00@9.00. Cattle, receipts, 1400; steady. Prime fed steers, 9.25@9.65; dressed beef steers, 7.90@9.20; western steers, 7.75@9.20; stockers and feeders, 6.75@8.75; bulls, 5.50@8.00; calves, 6.50@11.00. Sheep, receipts, 3800; steady. Lambs, 10.80@11.50; yearlings, 9.50@10.40; wethers, 8.25@9.00; ewes, 7.75@8.50.

PORTLAND LIVE STOCK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) March 23.—Cattle, steady; receipts, 50. Steers, grain and pulp fed, 8.15@8.50; choice hay fed, 7.75@8.15; good, 7.50@7.75; medium, 7.25@7.50; cows, choice, 6.75@7.50; good, 6.50@6.75; medium, 6.25@6.50; heifers, 6.00@7.75; bulls, 3.00@6.00; stags, 4.50@5.25. Hogs, easier; receipts, 301. Prime light, 9.25@9.35; prime strong weights, 9.00@9.25; good to prime mixed, 8.75@9.00; rough heavy packing, 8.50@8.75; pigs and skips, 8.00@8.35. Sheep, steady; receipts, none. Choice lambs, 9.50@10.00; common lambs, 8.25@9.25; choice yearlings, 8.25@8.75; good yearlings, 8.00@8.25; choice wethers, 8.00@8.25; choice light ewes, 7.00@7.25; choice ewes, 6.25@7.00; common heavy ewes, 5.00@6.00.

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Cotton.

GOOD RAINS FORCE PRICES DOWNWARD.

LIQUIDATION IS ENCOURAGED BY TEXAS REPORTS.

Buying is not Impressive and Comes Principally from Old Shorts and on Resting Orders—Both Liverpool and the South are Moderate Sellers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Private cotton dispatches reported rather good rains in Texas, where they were needed badly. This brought in liquidation and encouraged the efforts of those bearishly inclined with the result that prices declined. Buying was not impressive, and seemed to come principally from old shorts and commission houses on resting orders. Liverpool was a moderate seller of the new crop months, and the south also offered moderately. As rain is predicted for the greater part of the western belt in the next twenty-four hours, it is believed that the long drouth will be effectually broken, and crop conditions naturally become more optimistic. News regarding the spot situation is very conflicting. Sections in Georgia reported a continued good demand for the spot article, while in New Orleans holders are reported as willing to offer more freely at the 12-cent basis. Inquiry in the export divisions shows no signs of improving, and the clearences daily continue extremely small. This unsatisfactory state of affairs, and the more productive crop growing weather in the western region have temporarily put the damper on bullish speculation and further lowering in values is likely.

Liverpool cables due 4½ lower on May, 3 lower on July and January and 3½ lower on October, came 2½ better than due on May and October, and 1 better on July. More inquiry for spot cotton; prices 1 up; sales, 8000; receipts, 11,000; American, 1700; middlings, 7.78; futures opened dull.

RANGE OF PRICES.

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
January	12.35	12.35	12.29	12.32	12.33
February	.....	.....	.....	12.28	.....
March	11.85	11.85	11.81	11.82	11.84
April	.....	.....	.....	11.85	.....
May	11.94	11.98	11.88	11.88	11.89
June	.....	.....	.....	11.98	.....
July	12.06	12.10	11.98	12.02	12.03
August	.....	.....	.....	12.10	12.12
September	.....	.....	.....	12.09	12.11
October	12.18	12.17	12.09	12.13	12.14
November	.....	.....	.....	12.17	.....
December	12.30	12.31	12.24	12.27	12.28
Spots—12.00.					

NEW ORLEANS SPOT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, March 23.—New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 9.25; ordinary, 10.00; good ordinary, 10.50; strict good ordinary, 11.00; low middling, 11.50; strict low middling, 11.75; middling, 12.00; strict middling, 12.25; good middling, 12.57; strict good middling, 12.81; middling fair, 13.37; middling fair to fair, 13.62; fair, 13.87. Sales, 1035 bales; to arrive, 125 bales; delivered on contract, none. Tone of market steady.

RAW AND REFINED SUGAR QUOTATIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Raw sugar steady; centrifugal, 5.71; molasses, 4.94. Refined steady.

REFINED SUGAR.

Option—	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
January	4.20	4.30
February	4.20	4.30
March	4.63	4.65
April	4.64	4.66
May	4.67	4.69
June	4.70	4.72
July	4.72	4.73
August	4.75	4.76
September	4.79	4.80
October	4.79	4.80
November	4.56	4.58
December	4.42	4.44

Total sales—6850 bags.

LONDON AND NEW YORK MONEY QUOTATIONS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, March 23.—Bar silver, 28½d per ounce. Money, 4@4½ per cent.

NEW YORK MONEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Mercantile paper, 3@3¼. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.72½; demand, 4.76⅜; cables, 4.77. Bar silver, 59⅞; Mexican dollars, 46⅛. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, steady. Time loans steady; sixty days, 2½@3; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3@3¼. Call money steady; high, 2; low, 1¾; ruling rate, 2; last loan, 2; closing bid, 1¾; offered at 2.

MEXICAN DOLLARS AND SIGHT DRAFTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Mexican dollars, 43; drafts, sight, 1; do., telegraph, 3.

BUTTER UNCHANGED; EGGS ARE LOWER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Butter, unchanged. Eggs, lower; receipts, 18,275 cases; firsts, 19¼; ordinary firsts, 18¾; at mark, cases included, 18@19¼.

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 23.—Butter, steady; receipts, 4490; creamery extras, 37@38; firsts, 36@36½; seconds, 34@35½. Eggs, barely steady; receipts, 23,484; fresh gathered extras, 22½@23; extra firsts, 21¾@22; firsts, 21@21½; seconds, 20¼@20¾. Cheese, firm; receipts, 823. State, held specials, 18¾@18½; do., average fancy, 18; current make, average run, 17¼@17½; Wisconsin Twins held, 18@18¼.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Eggs, fresh firsts, 18½.

RECORD PRICES PAID FOR LAMBS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EAST ST. LOUIS (Ill.) March 23.—The highest price ever paid for lambs at the National Stock Yards here was recorded today when 509 lambs sold for 11.70 a hundred pounds. The lambs were shipped from Windsor, Colo., and were put in feed yards before placed on the market. The average weight was 80 pounds.

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STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Following is today's range of prices:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds—		
4s quarterly coupon (new)	100⅞	....
4s quarterly coupon	100⅝	....
State Bonds—		
San Francisco Sea Wall 4s	4.00	....
Highway 4s	4.00	....
Municipal Bonds—		
San Francisco Municipal 3½s	4.35	....
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 5s	....	102⅝
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	102⅞	....
Cal. Central Gas & Electric 5s	102⅞	....
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Ser. A 5s	86½	....
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. Unifying 5s	102⅝	103
Cal. G. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5s	99⅞	....
California Tel. & Light Co. 6s	90	....
California Wine Association 5s	97½	98¼
Central California Traction Co. 5s	....	89
City Electric Co. 5s	....	80
City Investment Co. 5s	88½	....
Coast Counties Light & Power 5s	97½	....
Edison Light & Power 6s	92½	95
E. I. du Pont de Nem. Pdr. 4½s	105½	....
First Federal Trust Co. 5s	102⅞	....
Great Western Power Co. 5s	100	101½
Home Tel. & Tel. of Spokane 5s	85½	80
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	80	....
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5s	100⅛	....
Los Angeles Electric Co. 5s	....	82½
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	100⅛	....
Los Angeles Gas & Elec. Corp. 5s	101½	....
Los Angeles Railway 5s	98½	....
Los Angeles Railway Corp. 5s	97½	....
Los Angeles Lighting Gtd. 5s	91	....
L. A.-Pacific Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	100	....
L. A.-Pacific Railway of Cal. 5s	90	97½
Marin Water & Power Co. 5s	....	88⅝
Market Street Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	....	100
Natomas Co. of California 6s	64½	....
Northern Railway Co. of Cal. 5s	64⅛	65½
Northern California Railway 5s	108	....
Northern California Power Co. 5s	102½	....
Northern California Power Com. 5s	97	....
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	74⅜	....
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	....	100
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	90	98½
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	....	80
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	....	56
Omnibus Cable Railway 6s	84½	....
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	....	94
Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 5s	88½	90½
Pacific Electric Railway Co. 5s	92⅞	....
Pacific Light & Power Co. 5s	94	95
Pacific Light & Power Gtd. 5s	....	94
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	96	100
Sacramento Electric, Gas & Ry. 5s	100⅝	101
San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	102⅝	....
S. J. L. & P. Cor. (Ser. A) 6s	99⅞	....
S. P., Oakland & San Jose Ry. 5s	101⅝	....
S. P., Oak. & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	94⅜	21
S. P., Oakland & A. J. Con. Ry. 5s	....	....
Sierra Railway of California 6s	40⅝	85
S. P. R. R. Co. of C. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	106⅛	....
S. P. Branch Ry. of California 6s	125	....
S. P. R. R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	90⅞	90⅞
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s	92⅝	95⅜
United Gas & Electric Co. 5s	102⅝	....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	41⅞	42
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	102⅝	....
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	89⅜	89⅝
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Northern California Power Co. Con.	10⅝	11⅛
Oro Electric Corp. pfd.	5	15
Oro Electric Corp. com.	....	5
Pacific Gas & Electric 1st pfd.	93	....
Pacific Gas & Electric pfd.	94⅛	....
Pacific Gas & Electric com.	62⅝	....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	209½	....
Bank Stocks—		
Anglo-California Trust Co.	105	....
Anglo & London-Paris Nat'l Bank	143	144
Bank of California, N. A.	191½	....
First National Bank of S. F.	220⅝	230
Mercantile National Bank	227	....
Savings Union Bank & Trust Co.	248	....
Union Trust Co.	[illegible]	....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	3725	4000
Humboldt Savings Bank	192½	....
Mutual Savings Bank	90	....
Security Savings Bank	345	....
Powder Stocks—		
E. I. du Pont de Nem. & Co. com.	....	377
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	49⅝	50⅝
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	47⅞	....
Honokaa Sugar Co.	9⅞	10⅛
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	20⅝	....
Kilauea Sugar Plantation Co.	....	20
Onomea Sugar Co.	58⅝	60⅜
Paauhau Sugar Plantation Co.	23⅝	28⅞
Union Sugar Co.	30	30⅞
Oil Stocks—		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	84⅝	....
Associated Oil Co.	67⅞	....
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	....	1⅜
West Coast Oil Co. pfd.	119⅛	....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Association	100⅝	100⅞
Argosy Co. of New York pfd.	121⅝	93
Cal. Fruit Canners' Association	99⅞	129
California Wine Association pfd.	67⅝	69¼
California Wine Association com.	....	79⅛
Hunt Bros. Co. pfd.	....	85
Natomas	20⅞	....
North Alaska Salmon Co.	122⅛	....
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	3	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	94⅝	....
Philippine Tel. & Tel. Corp.	21⅞	22⅛

SALES.

Morning session—

2,000	Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	100⅞
2,000	Pacific Gas & Electric 5s	93
7,000	San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	100
10,000	Spring Valley Water Co. 4s	95½
10,000	Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	90⅞
8,000	Cal. Gas & Electric Unifying 5s	100
5,000	United R. R. of S. F. 4s	42
8,000	United R. R. of S. F. 4s	41⅞
2,000	City Electric Co. 5s	88½
50	Amalgamated Oil Co.	84⅝
200	Pacific Gas & Electric com.	63
5	Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	97
25	Natomas pfd.	21
10	Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	50⅛
260	Union Sugar Co.	30

Afternoon session—

3,000	Pacific Light & Power 5s	93⅞
8,000	Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	100⅞
3,000	Cal. Gas & Electric Unifying 5s	99⅞
1,000	Spring Valley Water Co. 4s	95⅜
50	Associated Oil Co.	68⅛
20	Spring Valley Water Co.	89⅛
150	Pacific Gas & Electric com.	62⅞
55	First National Bank	228⅞
25	Hawaiian Commercial & Sugar	50⅛

NEVADA MINE STOCKS SALES AND RANGE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 23.—Following are sales and range of quotations:

Sales.	Goldfield—	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
11,500	Atlanta	.15	.14	.13	.15
.....	Booth	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Blue Bull	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	C. O. D.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Comb. Frac.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Daisy	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Dfd. B. B.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Florence	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,550	Gfd. Con.	.80	.81	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,500	Jumbo Ex.	.80	.77	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,000	Lone Star	.02	.02	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,000	Merger	.11	.11	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Spearhead	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Silver Pick	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Vernal	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Yellow Tiger	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Oro	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Sandstorm	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Kewanas	.13	.13	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Manhattan—				
.....	Big Four	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Dexter Union	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Gold Wedge	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Man. Con.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Man. Dexter	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,800	White Cap	.15	.14	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Comstock—				
6,100	Con. Virginia	.16	.14	[illegible]	.15
.....	Confidence	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Hale & Nor.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Mexican	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
1,600	Ophir	.35	.33	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Savage	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
700	Sierra Nev.	.24	.24	[illegible]	[illegible]
400	Union	.44	.43	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Tonopah—				
200	Belmont	4.55	4.55	4.55	4.60
11,000	Cash Boy	.07	.06	[illegible]	[illegible]
10,000	Oliver Queen	.03	.03	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Jim Butler	.91	.90	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,000	Midway	.20	.20	[illegible]	[illegible]
12,000	Mon. P. Ex.	.08	.08	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Montana	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Mizpah Ex.	.21	.21	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	McNam.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
900	North Star	.16	.16	[illegible]	[illegible]
46,100	Rescue Eula	.28	.27	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Tono. of N.	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
2,000	Tonopah Ex.	5.05	4.95	5.05	5.10
.....	Umatilla	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	West End	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
	Miscellaneous—				
.....	P. & Peak	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
.....	Nev. Hills	....	....	[illegible]	[illegible]
6,700	Round Mt.	.67	.66	[illegible]	[illegible]
500	Rochester	.61	.61	[illegible]	[illegible]

STOCK PRICES ON CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, March 23.—Following are closing quotations:

Stocks—	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
American Can com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
American Can pfd.	111½	112¾
American Ship com.	[illegible]	47
American Ship pfd.	[illegible]	90
Booth Fisheries com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Booth Fisheries pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 1st	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 2nd	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 3d	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago City Railways 4th	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Elevated Railways com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "A"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "B"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways "C"	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Title & Trust	[illegible]	[illegible]
Commonwealth Edison	[illegible]	[illegible]
Diamond Match	[illegible]	[illegible]
Illinois Brick	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. Ry. & L. com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
K. C. Ry. & L. pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Biscuit pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Carbon com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
National Carbon pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
People's Gas	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pneumatic Tool	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pneumatic Tool 5s	[illegible]	[illegible]
Quaker Oats com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Quaker Oats pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sears Roebuck com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sears Roebuck pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stewart-Warner com.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Stewart-Warner pfd.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Swift & Co.	[illegible]	174½
Union Carbide	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Railways 5s	[illegible]	96½

SHIPPING.

HARBOR OF LOS ANGELES.

ARRIVED—THURSDAY, MARCH 23.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. White, from San Francisco.
Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, from San Diego.
Steamer F. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, from San Diego.
Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Krause, from Greenwood.
Steamer George Loomis, Capt. Phillips, from San Diego.
Steamer San Jacinto, Capt. Carlson, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas, Capt. Smith, from El Segundo.
Steamer Coronado, Capt. Hangland, from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Nome City, Capt. Schage, from Seattle.
Revenue cutter Bear, from San Diego.
Steamer Prentiss, Capt. Iverson, from Eureka.
Steamer Temple E. Dorr, Capt. Nelson, from Portland.

SAILED—THURSDAY, MARCH 23.

Steamer Harvard, Capt. White, for San Diego.
Steamer Yale, Capt. Bartlett, for San Francisco.
Steamer Governor, Capt. Thomas, for Puget Sound, via San Francisco.
Steamer F. A. Kilburn, Capt. McLellan, for Portland, via San Francisco.
Steam yacht Fiorgyn, Capt. Johnson, for San Diego.

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

All steamers call at San Francisco to and from ports further north.

TO ARRIVE.

Date.	From—Steamer.	Steamship line.
March 24	San Diego, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 24	Portland, Bear	S. F. & Portland
March 25	San Francisco, Great Northern	G. N. P.
March 25	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 25	Puget Sound, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 26	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 26	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 27	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 28	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 28	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation

TO DEPART.

Date.	For—Steamer.	Steamship line.
March 24	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 25	Portland, Bear	S. F. & Portland
March 25	San Diego, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 25	Honolulu, Great Northern	G. N. P.
March 25	San Diego, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 26	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation
March 27	Puget Sound, Congress	Pacific Coast
March 28	San Francisco, Harvard	Pacific Navigation
March 29	San Diego, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	Puget Sound, President	Pacific Coast
March 30	San Francisco, Yale	Pacific Navigation

LOCAL CARRIERS.

Steamers for Catalina Island leave San Pedro at 10 a.m., returning at 6:45 p.m.

Launches for Long Beach leave foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, hourly from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, and until 7 p.m. Sundays. East San Pedro ferry every ten minutes from foot of Fifth street, San Pedro. Terminal Island ferry from foot of Canal street, Wilmington, and foot of Fifth street, San Pedro, every half hour.

IN PORT.

U.S.S. Cheyenne and submarines H-1, H-2 and H-3, outer harbor.
Steamer Corwin, O. H. D. & W. Co.
Steamer Daisy Putnam, S. P. slip.
Steamer Gray's Harbor, S. L. wharf.
Steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas, outer harbor.
Steamer Alcatraz, L. W. B. L. Co.
Steamer San Jacinto, E. K. W. L. Co.
Steamer Coronado, S. P. L. Co.
Steamer Prentiss, P. W. & S. Co.
Steamer George Loomis, S. O. Co.
Steamer Nome City, S. P. slip.

COASTWISE CARGO CARRIERS.

Steamer Shna-Yak, Eagle Harbor, loading.
Steamer Carmel, Gray's Harbor, sailed March 13.
Steamer Aurelia, San Francisco, sailed March 21.
Steamer Raymond, Willapa, sailed March 19.
Steamer Santa Barbara, Portland, sailed March 21.
Steamer Vanguard, Eureka, sailed March 21.
Steamer Wapama, Portland, loading.
Steamer Brunswick, Eureka, loading.
Steamer A. M. Simpson, Coos Bay, loading.
Steamer William H. Murphy, Puget Sound, loading.

TO AND FROM ATLANTIC PORTS.

Steamer Harry Luckenbach, Balboa, loading.
Steamer Lewis Luckenbach, New York, via St. Thomas, Jan. 6.
Steamer Frederick Luckenbach, New York, sailed Jan. 19.
Steamer Floridian, New York, sailed Feb. 15.
Steamer Edith, San Francisco, for New York, loading.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Crown of Toledo, Liverpool, via Glasgow, sailed Jan. 18.
Steamer Acme, Corinto, loading.
Steamer Alliance, Corinto, loading.
Steamer Stanley Dollar, Valparaiso, sailed Feb. 23.
Japanese steamer Anyo Maru, Hongkong, sailed March 1.
Steamer Mayfair, Balboa, sailed Feb. 29.
Steamer Fairhaven, Corinto, loading.
Steamer Roanoke, Corinto, loading.
Norwegian steamer Beldredge, Osaka, sailed March 4.
Steamer Fair Oaks, Santa Rosalia, sailed March 17.
British steamer Gray, Vancouver, sailed March 13.

TIDE TABLE.

Friday,	March 24....	6:38	1:20	5:10	....
		0.3	3.5	2.4	....
Saturday,	" 25....	12:32	8:28	3:16	6:19
		5.8	0.4	2.3	2.9
Sunday,	" 26....	12:32	8:28	3:16	6:19
		5.6	0.3	2.7	3.1
Monday,	" 27....	3:30	11:12	6:04	10:38
		5.5	0.0	4.1	2.7
Tuesday,	" 28....	4:53	12:06	6:44	....
		5.7	—0.2	4.6	....
Wednesday,	" 29....	12:02	5:59	12:50	7:15
		2.0	5.9	—0.3	5.2

NOTE—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur. On some days but three tides occur, the fourth tide occurring on the following morning.

PORT ITEMS.

A strong northwest blow early today brought the steamer Capt. A. F. Lucas of the Standard Oil Company fleet of tankers into port from El Segundo for shelter. The steam schooners San Jacinto, Nome City, Coronado and Alcatraz, arriving from northern lumber ports, reported heavy gales for the past three days. Several yachts were blown ashore at Wilmington from the Los Angeles Motor Boat Club anchorage, but there was no damage to the South Coast fleet in the outer harbor, under protection of Point Fermin.

The steamer Governor arrived from San Diego today and proceeded to San Francisco and Puget Sound with passengers and freight for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company.

The steam yacht Fiorgyn, which arrived here from San Francisco several weeks ago, proceeded to San Diego today on cruise, with her owner, Thomas Thorkildsen, aboard.

UNLISTED BOND PRICES.

[Furnished by Jno. O. Knight & Co., 434 H. W. Hellman Bldg.]

	Bid.	Asked.
American Oilfields 6s, 1920	72½	75
Auditorium Co. 5s, 1926 (Serial)	97	100
Bear. Val. M. Water 5s 1926 (Serial)	95½	98½
Bible Institute 6s, 1919 (Serial)	99	100
Black Bldg. 6s, 1937 (Serial)	90	94
Cal. Delta Farms 6s, 1932	99½	100½
Cal. Portland Cement 6s, 1921	94	95
Cal. Portland Cement 5s, 1923	91	....
Central F. P. Bldg. 5½s, 1926 (Ser.)	94	97
Chester F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1926 (Serial)	97½	99
City Railway 5s, 1941	92	95
Cosmos F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1930 (Ser.)	99	100
Dominguez Land Corp. 6s, 1922	97	100
Fontana Co. 6s, note 1920 (Serial)	99	100
Fontana Land 6s, 1926	97	100
General Petroleum 6s, 1921	40	45
Huntington L. & I. Co. 1926 (Serial)	101	102
Huntington L. & I. Co. 1928 (Serial)	101½	102
Long Beach Con. Gas 6s, 1940	99½	101
L. A. Dock & Term. 6s, 1929	90	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Bldg. 5s, 1930	97½	98⅞
Mer. F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1929 (Serial)	97	100
Metro. F. P. Bldg. 6s, 1925 (Serial)	98½	100
Midland Counties G. & E. 6s, 1932	97½	100
Mt. Whitney P. & E. 6s, 1939	101¼	102¾
Nevada-California Power 6s, 1927	99½	101
Orpheum Theater & Realty 6s, 1939	102½	103⅜
Pacific Electric Ry. Bldg. 5s, 1961	92	95
Pacific Light & Power Bldg. 5s, 1931	97½	99
Pacific Wharf & Storage 5s, 1934	97	98
Rindge Land & Nav. 5s, 1930	97½	100
San Diego Con. G. & E. 5s, 1939	95	96½
San Diego Home Tel. 5s, 1934	35	45
Santa Barbara G. & E. 6s, 1941	100½	101½
S. Cal. Portland Cement 6s, 1936	78	82
Southern Counties Gas 6s, 1941	96½	98
Southern Sierras Power 6s, 1936	99	101
Sutter Basin 6s, note, 1918 (Serial)	99¾	100¼
U. S. Grant Hotel 6s, 1920 (Serial)	95	100
Union Oil Co. 6s notes, 1918 (Serial)	100⅞	101½
Union Tool 6s, 1926 (Serial)	99	100

CLOSING PRICES ON SALT LAKE EXCHANGE.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, March 23.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Alta Con.	24	26½
Alta Tiger	2¾	3
Albion	27	28
Beck Tun. Con.	29	29½
Bing. Amal.	7½	8½
Black Jack Con.	16½	18
Cedar Ex.	4	4⅝
Cedar T.	7½	8
Colorado	25	26
Crown P.	6	6½
Cardiff	900	925
Daly	75	100
Dragon Con.	30	32
Emerald	5	—
Emma Cop.	46	48
G. Chain	—	50
Grand Cent.	73	75
Iron Blos.	182½	185
Ind. Queen	2½	3⅛
Keystone	41	45½
King W.	2	2¼
Leonora	2¾	3
Lower M.	6½	7
Mammoth	50	55
May Day	15	15½
Mineral F.	3	12
Moscow	25	26
Mtn. Lake	11	12
Nev. Hills	—	16
Ohio Cop.	—	19
Opohongo	2⅞	3¼
Plutus	12½	13
Prince Con.	130	135
Rico Well.	30	35
Rexall	20	20½
S. K. Coal	210	215
S. K. Con.	270	285
Sioux Con.	13½	14½
S. Hecla	325	—
Swansea Con.	2	2¾
Tar Baby	1¼	2¼
Tint. Cent.	7	7½
Uncle Sam Con.	7½	9¼
Union Chief	6⅝	9
Utah Con. of Tintic	3	3¾
Vic. Con.	4⅝	4¾
Wilbert	13	13½
W. Toledo	10	11
Yankee	31	32¼

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DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 23.—Sixteen cars navels, three mixed cars sold; also one car lemons. Market strong and higher on oranges and lemons. Weather fair.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Champion, Growers' F. Co.	$2.80
Sealrock, Growers' F. Co.	2.45
Old Mission, xf, iced, Chapman	2.55
Champion, iced, Growers' F. Co.	3.00
Sealrock, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.80
Regal, iced, Growers' F. Co.	3.00
Regent, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.85
Big Four, iced, Growers' F. Co.	2.60
Orchard, imp, National O. Co.	3.05
Standard, imp, National O. Co.	2.90
Golden Cross, O. K. Ex.	2.95
Red X, O. K. Ex.	2.55
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.80
Blue Globe, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	3.10
Red Globe, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	2.90
Pepperleaf, iced, Riv. F. Ex.	2.65
Glen. Heights, xf, iced, A.C.G. Ex.	3.30
Glen. Heights, iced, Foothill	2.25
Evolution, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.05
Lotus, iced, O. K. Ex.	2.85
Pinecone, iced, R. H. Ex.	2.35
Arrowhead, iced, R. H. Ex.	2.20
Robusta, iced, A. H. Ex.	3.05
Parrot, iced, S. A. Ex.	2.95
Jameson, iced, Q. C. Ex.	2.40
Justrite, iced, Q. C. Ex.	2.25
Iris, iced, D. M. Ex.	2.70
Violet, iced, D. M. Ex.	2.15
Parrot, S. E.Apl DfiC'SealrockCampt	
Parrot, iced, S. A. Ex.	2.65
Black Crusader, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Green Crusader, iced, A. C. G. Ex.	2.00
Basket Ball, S. A. Ex.	2.05
Reindeer, E. L. C.	2.60
Arroyo, S. T. Ex.	2.55
Iris, D. M. Ex.	2.65
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.85
Fuschia, S. A. Ex.	3.00
Silver Gate, E. L. C.	2.60
Echo, S. T. Ex.	2.75
Tournament, S. T. Ex.	2.30
Violet, D. M. Ex.	2.10
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.40

ST. MICHAELS.

Blue Bow	$2.50

ST. MICHAELS—HALVES.

Blue Bow	$1.85

BLOODS.

Blue Bow	$3.20

BLOODS—HALVES.

Blue Bow	$1.55

TANGERINES—HALVES.

Jumbo	$1.15
Sunnysouth	1.35
Sunnysouth Jumbos	1.10

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

March 22, Southern California, 122 cars oranges, 18 cars lemons.

NOTE—Green Banner navels average 2.81; Native, 2.70, omitted from Boston wire of Wednesday.

ST. MICHAELS.

Old Mission, iced, Chapman	$3.10

NAVELS—HALVES.

Sierra Vista, imp	$1.25

BLOODS.

Regent	$1.65
Sierra Vista	1.55
Peasant	1.40

TANGERINES—HALVES.

Golden Cross	$1.55
Red X	1.20
Paul Neyron	1.55
Blue Globe	1.40
Red Globe	1.05
Glendora Heights, xf	1.70
Glendora Heights, Foothill	1.50
Squirrel	1.25
Palm Tree	1.05

LEMONS.

Rossmoyne Grove	$2.75
Girl	2.20

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, March 23.—Twelve cars sold. Market is strong on oranges; doing better on lemons.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Carnation, Speich & Co.	$2.70
Lochinvar, R. H. Ex.	2.25
Newsboy, R. H. Ex.	1.95
Quail, O. K. Ex.	2.65
Owl, O. K. Ex.	2.55
Peasant, A. H. Ex.	2.20
Dandy, imp, A. H. Ex.	2.15
Prairie Chicken, "O."	2.70
Camel, Q. C. Ex.	2.20
Paul Neyron, S. A. Ex.	2.25
Corona Bells, Q. C. Ex.	3.20
Laurel, Q. C. Ex.	2.45
Mtn. Lion, Speich & Co.	2.40
Royal Knight, R. H. Ex.	2.15
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ex.	2.70
Flyer, O. K. Ex.	2.80
Kenilworth, A. H. Ex.	3.30
Dandy, A. H. Ex.	2.45
Prairie Chicken, A. H. Ex.	2.55
Corona Crown, Q. C. Ex.	2.80
Family, Q. C. Ex.	2.45
Pinnacle, O. K. Ex.	2.35
Queen Bee, Q. C. Ex.	3.00
Princess, Q. C. Ex.	2.50

LEMONS.

Pride of Corona, Q. C. Ex.	$2.95
Corona Beauty	2.40

BLOODS—HALVES.

Homer	$1.55
Camel	1.30

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 23.—Five cars sold. Market strong on good stock navels.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Blue Bow, Blue Ribbon Groves	$3.30

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, March 23. — Following are closing quotations on active bonds today:

	Close.
Japan German 4½s	[illegible]
New York City 4½s	[illegible]
New York City 4½s	[illegible]
American Tel. & Tel. Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Atchison General 4s	[illegible]
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	[illegible]
Baltimore & Ohio Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
California Gas 5s	[illegible]
Central Leather 5s	[illegible]
Central Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Chesapeake & Ohio Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Joint 4s	[illegible]
Chicago & Great Western 4s	[illegible]
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul 4s	[illegible]
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Conv. 4½s	[illegible]
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Consolidated Gas 6s	[illegible]
Denver & Rio Grande Ref. 5s	[illegible]
Distillers' Securities 5s	[illegible]
Erie General Lien 4s	[illegible]
Erie Conv. 4s "B"	[illegible]
Hudson Manhattan 5s "A"	[illegible]
Illinois Central Ref. 5s	[illegible]
Iowa Central 4s	[illegible]
Lackawanna Steel 5s	[illegible]
Lake Shore 4s	[illegible]
Lorillard 5s	[illegible]
Mexican Petroleum 6s "C"	[illegible]
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 2nd 4s	[illegible]
Missouri Pacific 5s, 1917	[illegible]
Montana Power 5s	[illegible]
New York Central 4½s	[illegible]
New York Central 6s "W. I."	114
New York-New Haven 6s	[illegible]
Northern Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Northern Pacific 3s	[illegible]
Oregon Short Line 4s	[illegible]
Oregon Short Line Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Pacific Tel. & Tel. 5s	[illegible]
Pennsylvania 4s	[illegible]
Reading General 4s	[illegible]
Southern Pacific Conv. 4s	[illegible]
Southern Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
Southern Railway 5s	[illegible]
Union Pacific 4s	[illegible]
Union Pacific Ref. 4s	[illegible]
United States Steel 5s	[illegible]
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	42
United States Rubber 6s	[illegible]
Virginia Railway 5s	[illegible]
Western Union 4½s	[illegible]
American Smelting 6s	[illegible]
Anglo-French 5s	[illegible]

AVOID THE RUSH

On Saturday. Make a practice of phoning your Sunday ads to The Times on Friday, day or night. Collection for the service will be made at your home or office. Main 3300, Home 10391.

Legal Notice.

FUEL.—Office, Department Quartermaster, 216 Pine St., San Francisco, Cal. Sealed proposals will be received here until 11 a.m., April 24, 1916, for furnishing coal required at posts in Western Department during fiscal year commencing July 1, 1916. Information on application.

Schools and Colleges.

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A school of merit and refinement. 1021 S. Figueroa. Bdwy. 3960; 24621.

The SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER, the most successful Hearst newspaper, in its issue of Sunday, March 5th, gave its readers and advertisers capital advice in the following words:

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Schools and Colleges.

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ENFORCED MEDIATION IN SUBURBAN WAR.

COURT COMMANDS FACTIONS TO APPEAR FOR TRIAL.

Attorneys Attempt to Carry Huntington Park Quarrel into Courtroom and are Squelched—Ordered to Report to Judge Jackson, not Justice of Peace, on Tuesday.

"There will be no contention. This case will be tried on its merits next Tuesday. In my opinion, the affair has been unseemly."

Judge Jackson made this statement at the conclusion of a hearing late yesterday afternoon, the aftermath of the sensational scene at Huntington Park Tuesday night, when the door of the residence of J. J. Reddick was battered down by officers and there were gun plays, fist fights and arrests for assault, all growing out of an effort to serve an order to show cause.

The atmosphere of the courtroom breathed defiance as Mr. Reddick, R. E. Griffith, plaintiff in a claim and delivery suit against him; Earl Newmire, Mr. Reddick's attorney, and Perry Backus, counsel for Mr. Griffith, entered. But the giant judge put a quietus on any renewal of the scene by calling down one lawyer for stating the other had told what was not true, declaring that no such epithets should be bandied in his court.

Mr. Reddick appeared with a wound in his head. He, as well as Mr. Newmire and Mr. Griffith, are charged with assault, and ordered to appear before Justice Cassidy of Huntington Park next Tuesday on the charge. But Judge Jackson made it plain that the parties were to be in his court on that day, and instructed Clerk Whiteleather to so notify the justice.

The trouble, as stated in The Times yesterday, grows out of a truck spirited away by Mr. Reddick, who says he has a lien upon it for repairs to another truck, also sent to him by Mr. Griffith. The latter says he wants the truck. The court said the merits of the case would be tried and both parties receive justice. He ordered Mr. Reddick to deliver the truck to the Sheriff not later than 5 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Reddick agreed to do so.

TURN ABOUT.
TIME TO ANSWER.

As the court had permitted Mrs. Bessie L. Caruthers to reopen her case to admit the evidence of George Minser, which proved a surprise for the defense, in the trial of Mrs. Caruthers's $10,000 alienation-of-affection suit against Mrs. Dora M. Phillips, Judge Hewitt yesterday allowed Mrs. Phillips's motion for a continuance of thirty days to rebut this testimony.

Mr. Minser traveled with John P. Caruthers, hypnotist, as a subject, and his evidence was to the effect that late one night at a Petaluma hotel he had heard Mr. Caruthers and Mrs. Phillips talking in the former's room and later saw her coat hanging in the room.

Mrs. Phillips stated in an affidavit filed that the witnesses she sought were traveling and that it would require time to get in touch with them. The case has been hard fought from the start, with the evidence on one hand showing Mrs. Phillips seeking the society of Mr. Caruthers, and evidence on the other hand showing that these visits were connected with purely business matters, Mrs. Phillips at the time having been engaged in booking Mr. Caruthers's shows.

DENIED DECREE.
MUST PAY ALIMONY.

A chubby baby came to Joseph S. and Hazel Buckham King, moving-picture actors. The weekly salary of the wife was for a season cut off. Mr. King after a time sued for divorce, alleging desertion. Incidentally, he blamed his wife's mother for their unhappiness.

Mr. King told Judge Dehy he could not get along with his wife's folks. So he left their home and went to a hotel, writing Mrs. King that he would make a home for her any place she wanted, as long as it was not with her people.

Mrs. King fought the suit. Her testimony and that of her mother was that Mr. King, after he married, came to the old folks' home; that he packed up and went away whenever he wanted to, and that the mother-in-law did not interfere between daughter and husband.

Judge Dehy denied Mr. King a decree, and ordered him to pay $12.50 a week for the support of the baby until further orders.

LOSES WEIGHT.
BLAMES WIFE'S TAUNTS.

"I could not eat and I could not sleep," said Charles Gordon, secretary of a local paper house, in his suit for divorce against Bertha Gordon, in Judge Dehy's court yesterday. This condition was not due to ill health, but to the taunts of his wife, he said, with reference to other women who did not exist. He told the court a favorite expression was:

"What did you have this afternoon, a blonde or a brunette?"

From a robust man of 158 pounds, he declared his weight fell to 137 pounds. When they separated last June, his condition improved, which was corroborated by Dr. L. L. Haight. H. C. Cooper, a business associate, told how Mrs. Gordon broke up a party by a remark covering her husband and one of the women guests. Mrs. Gordon was not in court, although she had filed an answer and a cross-complaint. The decree was granted.

PLEADS CRUELTY.
GROUND FOR DIVORCE.

Among the allegations of extreme cruelty in the separate maintenance suit of Mrs. Mabel I. Baker against David O. Baker of Pasadena, filed yesterday, are that while she was ill he compelled her to take drugs and lift heavy articles; that while suffering from nervous prostration he compelled her to walk a long distance on the streets of the city and left her sitting upon the curb in a fainting condition and went home. She says she was left alone to get home as best she could, but that she was unable to do so.

Mrs. Baker asks for the custody of her daughter, Violet, 4 years old, and an order restraining her husband from disposing of community property.

INCORPORATIONS. The San Pedro Stevedoring Company; incorporators, John Olson, Guy E. Smith and J. D. Holloway; capital stock, $10,000; subscribed, $3.

Going to San Joaquin Valley?

The Times special train to Fresno and other points in the valley will leave next Tuesday night, returning the following Friday morning. Price of ticket, which includes round-trip transportation, berth and all meals en trip is $15. For particulars address the TIMES EXCURSION DEPARTMENT, corner First and Broadway.

At the City Hall.

"ASININE" OPINION UNOFFICIAL ONLY.

PRESIDENT OF WORKS BOARD SCORES BURKS COMMISSION.

Question of Whether Taxpayers Stand to Lose Sixty Thousand Dollars is to be Decided by Actual Tests of the Performance of Motor Sprinklers.

President Handley of the Board of Public Works yesterday reiterated to Efficiency Director Burks his opinion that the letter addressed to Mr. Handley by the Efficiency Commission Wednesday was "asinine, childish and unworthy of reply."

"The report to which you refer was sent by a commission composed of the Mayor, the chairman of the Finance Committee and another member of the Council, and two business men of standing," replied Mr. Burks. "This commission simply desires to know whether your statement that it is 'asinine and childish' was made privately or whether it represents the sentiment of the Board of Public Works," said Mr. Burks. Commissioners McAleer and O'Brien denied responsibility for the opinion and President Handley said it was only his personal opinion.

Members of the Board of Public Works said that after a trial of thirty days they will be able to present a report on the comparative efficiency of the motor sprinklers. These sprinklers will be in commission in about two weeks.

Commissioner O'Brien said he believes a comparative test of the motor sprinklers will show that they are cheaper than horse-drawn sprinklers, despite the Efficiency Commission's report that the difference is 64 per cent. the other way. "If an actual test for comparison does not show that the motor sprinklers are cheaper I will be ready to step down and out," said Mr. O'Brien.

"Well, the contract is let and we will soon be able to make the comparative tests in actual performance so let's forget this argument until we have the results," said Commissioner McAleer.

"The only interest of the Efficiency Commission now is to emphasize the importance of basing action upon facts, rather than upon unsupported opinions, whenever the facts are available," said Mr. Burks. "The main facts now involved are whether the taxpayers could have been saved $60,000 if the commission's data had been accepted and acted upon."

RULING IS ASKED.
ON RIGHTS IN CAMPAIGN.

Both the City Council and the Civil Service Commission were requested yesterday by William Francis Ireland to rule on the question of whether city employees may take part on either side of the coming wet and dry campaign. Mr. Ireland, in letters to each body, said that there are a number of employees who want to take part in public and private discussion of the initiative measures on the liquor question, to be submitted to the voters at the next State election. The Civil Service Commission is asked for an interpretation of its rule against "political activity" and the Council is asked for a ruling with reference to employees not under civil service.

ORDINANCE KILLED.
COUNCIL DENIES NEW JOB.

The ordinance providing for a new position with the Civil Service Commission, that of investigator, at a salary of $100 a month, was killed by a vote of 5 to 3 in the Council yesterday. Councilmen Topham, Brain and Wright voted against the measure and, with President Betkouski absent while acting Mayor, the necessary six votes for its passage were not there. In the meantime the Civil Service Commission sent to the Council a letter yesterday saying that the Council's request that the coming civil service examination for male stenographers be limited to residents of Los Angeles was filed by the commission.

Cast Iron or Concrete?

Residents of the Wilshire district who are divided on the question of cast iron or concrete for the ornamental lighting posts in that part of the city will have an opportunity to get together on the problem of styles, and, in the meantime, the Council decided yesterday to repeal the ordinance passed recently providing for cast iron posts. The lighting district includes Wilshire boulevard from Park View street to Arden boulevard and Park View street between Sixth and Seventh streets.

Oratory Affects Business.

Business men in Los Angeles street between First and Second filed a petition with the Council yesterday asking that the block be closed for street speaking. They inform the Council that soap-box orators are so active in the block that their property rights are injured and their business is suffering.

Citizens Protest.

A floor of protests against the proposed changes in the names of 212 streets in the main part of the city and 129 streets in the Palms district were filed at the last moment with the City Clerk yesterday. The Council must hear the protests within two weeks, before the final ordinance for the changes is presented for passage.

City Hall Notes.

Members of the Council and the Board of Public Works went to San Pedro yesterday afternoon to inspect the improvement of Sixth street and other work at the Harbor. In the evening the city officials were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at dinner.

On recommendation of the Public Safety Committee yesterday the Council instructed the City Attorney to draft an ordinance to include Fourth street from Hill to Olive in the congested district.

The request of the Garvanza Improvement Association for the establishment of a park east of Avenue 64 was referred by the Council yesterday to the Budget Committee.

Cheaper Than Staying in Town.

The Times excursion ticket to San Joaquin Valley is $15. It includes berth three nights, all meals, auto rides, entertainments and round trip transportation. The Times Excursion Department.

At Coronado.

BALL TO BE NOTABLE.

Six Admirals of the United States Service are to be Patrons of Elaborate Affair; Bands of Two Cruisers to Furnish Music.

With six admirals of the United States Navy as patrons, the naval ball that is to be given at the Hotel del Coronado tomorrow evening is expected to be the most notable event of its kind ever held on the peninsula or in the Southland.

The six officers, all of whom are either wintering or residing permanently at the famous San Diego hostelry, are: Admiral Cameron McRae Winslow, commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet, and Mrs. Winslow; Rear-Admiral William F. Fullam, commander-in-chief of the Pacific reserve fleet, and Mrs. Fullam; Rear-Admiral Uriel Sebree (retired) and Mrs. Sebree; Rear-Admiral Edward D. Taussig (retired) and Mrs. Taussig; Rear-Admiral Thomas G. McLean (retired) and Mrs. McLean, and Rear-Admiral Charles A. Gove (retired) and Mrs. Gove.

Music will be furnished by the bands of the cruiser San Diego, flagship of the Pacific fleet, and the cruiser Maryland, flagship of the reserve fleet.

The Navy Relief Society will benefit from the brilliant society happening, to attend which many prominent Angelenos will motor down to the southern city.

Flogging.

BLACKSNAKES JOHNSONITES.

Our Freak Legislators Flayed by Edward F. Trefz.

'Protect Business from These Pestering Persecutors!"

State Made to Appear Hostile to Outside Capital.

"Quit trying to regulate everything and everybody! Quit passing crazy laws aimed at business! Educate people to understand that they can't have prosperity unless business is prosperous! Protect business! Encourage business! Stop the endless persecution and pestering of business by legislators who know nothing about business! Give capital a chance!"

This, in a nutshell, was the advice contributed by Edward F. Trefz, field secretary of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the United States, as his share in a brilliant speaking programme, having to do with business and the industries, at a luncheon held by the Los Angeles Realty Board at the Broadway Department Store Cafe yesterday.

Others, including John S. Mitchell, president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce; Arthur W. Kinney, industrial commissioner, and D. P. N. Little, industrial committeemen, respectively, of the chamber, and Charles G. Andrews, chairman of the day, had talked with the utmost frankness of the vital need of industries in Los Angeles and of the necessity of a public awakening to this fact. Mr. Trefz concluded the discussion by going straight to the kernel of the whole business and industrial situation in city, State and nation.

"God must have smiled with satisfaction when he made California," said the speaker. "Your natural resources for industrial achievement are the rarest to be found. It is a crime that your State should offer such an inhospitable front to the men who would and could develop your land.

"CRAZY LAWMAKING."

"California has gone crazy over lawmaking. The nation itself has run the gamut of idiocy in trying to regulate everything, but most of the country has begun to see its folly. California, Kansas and Texas have become synonymous with the word 'regulation.' The California Legislature passed 514 laws in 1914. The whole British empire passed only ninety-one laws in the same period. Capital in California is today actually afraid to lift its voice in advocacy of anything or protest against anything for fear some two-by-four Legislator will seize upon the fact as an excuse to talk about the 'sacred rights of the pee-pul.' The asinine activities of the present administration have given you a black eye among capitalists and manufacturers and corporation heads everywhere.

"The East and Middle West are enjoying prosperity in manufacturing, but they are enjoying it in spite of the tinkering and legislation. When a man fails in business and commercial pursuits these days he generally winds up by running for Congress and the first thing you know he is engaged in regulating business. The farmers are the real thinkers of the country. No association of farmers in the country would listen for five minutes to advice on agriculture from anyone but a farmer. Our most vitally important laws governing finance, however, are not made by bankers. The muck-raking magazine and the newspapers that play politics have so inflamed people against business that no corporation head whose advice on business in governmental affairs, would really be worth something, dares show his face in the councils of the law-makers. There must be some change soon or the republic will be in peril and that change must be wrought by the establishment of an immediate understanding between the people and the business and financial interests."

Mr. Mitchell urged the real estate men to labor as never before for the encouragement of industry.

"The home-seekers, rich and poor, will come here anyhow," said Mr. Little. "We couldn't keep them away. What we want from now on is work for everybody that comes. We should substitute the word 'work' for the threadbare old expression 'boost.' Los Angeles is still in the class of small producers by comparison with other large cities of the country."

Mr. Kinney gave an impressive array of statistics proving the wonderful progress that has been made by Los Angeles in an industrial way in the past few years. He spoke optimistically of the work done by the Chamber of Commerce Industrial Bureau and emphasized the necessity of providing larger funds to carry on the campaign so well begun.

Present as guests of the realty men were several directors of the California State Realty Federation, who were in the city for a conference with local members of that organization. Of these, G. J. Wren of Fresno, president of the federation, and M. J. Mann of San Francisco, responded to invitations to speak. W. W. Hanon of Detroit, former president of the National Association of Real Estate Exchanges, was a visitor, but did not talk.

Mr. Andrews, in introducing the speakers, declared that the realty men of Los Angeles are interested as never before in the industrial progress of Los Angeles. He appealed to the 150 or more men present to leave no stone unturned in their efforts to assist the Chamber of Commerce Industrial Bureau in its important work.

DEUTSCHER KLUB ELECTS.

At a meeting of the Deutscher Klub Monday, the following were elected directors of the organization: Dr. C. O. Dietsch, William Kafitz, Justus Krafft, Dr. George H. Kress, Albert Lehning, Dr. P. Newmark, Karl L. Ratzer, Frank Reicher and O. Werner. The men chosen officers for the forthcoming year are: Dr. P. Newmark, president; Dr. C. O. Dietsch, vice-president; Albert Lehning, secretary; Oscar Werner, assistant secretary, and Karl L. Ratzer, treasurer.

ENGINEERS TO MEET.

Prof. W. H. Clapp will speak on "Motor Trucks in Southern California" at the meeting of the Los Angeles section, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Tuesday evening, at Christopher's, No. 741 South Broadway.

Arson Trap.

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Wash., Medford and Portland, Ore., Phoenix, and several other communities throughout the West. In each of these places, it is declared, their homes were destroyed by flames.

A peculiarly similar method of explanation to various insurance company adjusters was unearthed. In ever case, it was stated that an oil stove had been left burning, while the woman in the house went to a near-by shop or was visiting a neighbor, and that the stove had evidently exploded. The explosion was blamed for the blaze and the loss it entailed.

Andrew Becker and his daughter both refused to talk after the arrests. The Oakland officers wired local officials a confession said to have been made by Reinhardt Grauman, Jr., telling of a number of fires and corroborating evidence in the hands of the Los Angeles investigators.

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HOTEL MAN PASSES AWAY

Frank Sherwood Wise, a Clubman and Lessee of Apartment-house, Dies Following an Operation for Appendicitis; Funeral Service Tomorrow.

Frank Sherwood Wise, manager and lessee of the Bryson apartments, died at the Angelus Hospital early yesterday morning, following an operation for appendicitis. He was 36 years of age. Funeral services will be held at Pierce Brothers' chapel at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The body will be buried in Hollywood Cemetery. Rev. J. Whitcomb Brougher will officiate.

Mr. Wise was born in Pennsylvania. When a young man he went to Arizona, where he was engaged by the government as a surveyor. In 1903 Mr. Wise came to this city and became the first manager of the Pickwick apartments. In 1904 he was married to Miss Lucile Greenman of this city.

Shortly after his marriage, in company with Mrs. Wise, he went to Canada, where he remained six months. He returned in 1912 and took charge of Rex Arms apartments. After eighteen months as manager of this hostelry, Mr. Wise leased the Bryson apartments and was actively engaged in the operation of that house until a few days ago.

Mr. Wise leaves the widow, Mrs. Lucile Wise, and a daughter, Catherine E. Wise, 10 years of age. He was a member of the Los Angeles Hotel Men's Association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Sierra Madre Club and the Los Angeles Athletic Club.

Expert.

FIGURES TELL GAS HISTORY

Corporation Auditor Testifies in Rate Hearing.

Gives Record of Earnings for Quarter Century.

Small Returns on Investment of Millions.

Masses of figures, almost unintelligible to anyone except an expert accountant, were introduced in evidence by the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Corporation in the hearing before Commissioner E. O. Edgerton yesterday, for the fixing of gas rates.

W. E. Houghton, auditor for the company, was on the stand all day, testifying not only to the operation, expenses and income of the company during 1915, but for the twenty-five years since 1889.

Out of the mass of figures brought before the commission by this witness the important figures stand prominent as having direct bearing upon the issue at stake. The first is the total operating balance for the company for the twenty-five years, ending December 31, 1915. During that time, after paying the annual operating expenses, a total of $13,561,894 remained for the payment of interest and sinking fund upon the capital invested during this period.

ANNUAL INTEREST RATE.

Figured on the historical depreciation cost of the company, which takes out allowance for going concern, within 12 1-100 of of 1 per cent, the commission engineer's estimate, this was 10.35 per cent. on the investment. This percentage is made up of 1 per cent. below the 11 per cent generally allowed by the commission. Out of this $13,561,894, $10,[illegible] has been paid out for interest and dividends during the twenty-five years. This makes an annual average total of 6.29 per cent. upon the investment and leaves 4.06 per cent for depreciation purposes, which, according to the Los Angeles Gas and Electric people, is not an extraordinary item.

The witness testified that from 1889, the gas rate was $4 per thousand feet. In 1890 it dropped to $3. In 1900 it reached $2.50, in 1902 it reached $1. In 1910 it reached 75 cents and in 1914 [illegible]. This reduction in rate was made despite an increase in the volume of business.

LAST YEAR'S RECORD.

During the morning session Mr. Houghton testified that the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company sold for the year ending December 31, 1915, 2,826,283,000 cubic feet of gas of an average of $[illegible] and received from this gas $2,[illegible],670. The total revenue for the company from all sources for the year was $2,762,112.16. The total operating revenue was $[illegible], the operating expenses of the company were $2,166,870. The net income in earning on the investment was less than 6 per cent.

Mr. Houghton testified that during the entire year the reports of the commission were within 1 per cent or less continuously, over the books of the company, in the case of the present case, and that the result the commission did not rely upon the report in the form set out in the commission's own rulings, but that this year the entries were [illegible] made under the eyes of the commission auditors.

VETERAN IS [illegible]

Col. W. H. Chapman, [illegible] agent in charge of the Northern California, San Francisco and Reno district, is in Los Angeles on business, and will remain at the [illegible] eral Building for several days. Chapman is a Virginian, and the oldest man in point of service in the revenue department. He is a Republican, and was a member of the committee in Washington that welcomed Gen. Grant as he returned from a trip around the world.

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Five admirals who will be patrons of the Hotel del Coronado's naval ball.

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Friends.

RECOUNTS STORY OF BROWNING SHOOTING

COMPANION OF SLAIN MAN ON WITNESS STAND.

Graphic Stories of Tragic Death of the Detective Told in Trial of Italian Merchant—Defense Lays Stress on Slayer's Alleged Fear of the "Black Hand."

The tragic death of Detective Sergeant Browning was recounted by Detective Martin Bowe, on the witness stand in the murder trial of Calogaro Finocchio, the Italian merchant, yesterday in Judge Craig's court. Bowe had accompanied Browning on the night of the shooting, on an investigation of alleged "black hand" troubles. He told that they were near Finocchio's store when they saw the Italian come out.

"Sergeant Browning called to the man to stop," said the witness, "when Finocchio drew a shotgun from under his coat and fired, the first shot striking Browning in the abdomen. I ran forward firing my revolver, and struck Finocchio across the face with the revolver, felling him. When I summoned assistance we were soon surrounded by a small mob."

The witness then detailed the arrival of other officers and of hurrying Browning to the Receiving Hospital, where every possible attention was given him, but without avail. Attorneys Chapman and Lightfoot, for the defense, laid much stress on that part of the examination having to do with the searching of the officers around Finocchio's store, in an endeavor to prove that their client was under the impression he was being sought by some of his enemies.

Detective Bowe was on the witness stand during the greater portion of the day and may be recalled this morning.

Preceding his testimony was that given by Police Surgeon E. H. Wiley, who described the wounds of Browning and his death in so graphic a manner, under the examination of Deputy District Attorneys Hogan and Keyes, that it brought tears to the eyes of many persons in the courtroom. As a preliminary to the description of the shooting, an accurate map of the locality in which it occurred, was introduced by the prosecution and carefully detailed technically by Surveyor A. K. Warren, who drew the map.

MINING MAN ARRESTED.

Claims Ignorance of Cause of Warrant from Placerville.

J. M. Rollin Van Houten was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy Sheriffs Fox and Nolan on a warrant sent here from Placerville, where Mr. Van Houten has mining interests. The mining man was found in his office. He declared he was unaware of any charges that might be pending against him, unless they had something to do with pay checks for the men working in his employ.

"It is possible that my foreman failed to follow instructions and hold the pay checks I sent him until I wired that a deposit sufficient to cover them had been made," said Mr. Van Houten. "If this was done I can readily understand the trouble, which will be quickly adjusted." He was held pending the arrival of an officer from Placerville, who is expected today.

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